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ALLIES

Rule Pekin as the Boxers Have Fled

Full Confirmation of the Battle—Japanese Fought Bravely as Did Americans—The War Brings Rejoicing to all Civilized Nations



GEN. CHAFFEE, WHO COMMANDED THE AMERICAN TROOPS AT THE BATTLE OF PEKIN.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

SHANGHAI, AUG. 18.—10.20 A.M.—THE GENERAL ATTACK ON PEKIN BEGAN AUGUST 15, IN THE MORNING. THE ENEMY OBSTINATELY RESISTED. THE SAME EVENING THE JAPANESE DEMOLISHED THE CHAN LANG AND TONG CHI GATES AND ENTERED THE CAPITAL. THE OTHER ARMIES ENTERED BY THE TONG QUIEN GATE. THEY SENT DETACHMENTS AT ONCE TO THE LEGATIONS, WHERE THE MINISTERS WERE FOUND SAFE.

FALL OF PEKIN FULLY CONFIRMED

By Associated Press to The Sun.

WASHINGTON, AUG. 18.—THE ALLIED ARMIES HAVE CAPTURED AND ENTERED PEKIN IN THE FACE OF OBSTINATE RESISTANCE, AND THE MEMBERS OF THE FOREIGN LEGATIONS ARE SAFE. OFFICIAL CONFIRMATION OF THE FALL OF THE CHINESE CAPITAL CAME TO THE UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT LAST NIGHT IN THE SHAPE OF TWO CABLEGRAMS, ONE FROM ADMIRAL REMEY AND THE OTHER FROM CONSUL FOWLER AT CHEFOO. THE CABLEGRAM FROM ADMIRAL REMEY CAME TO HAND FIRST, EARLY IN THE EVENING, FOLLOWED VERY SOON AFTER BY THAT FROM CONSUL FOWLER AND THE OFFICIALS, REALIZING THE GREAT PUBLIC INTEREST IN THE EVENTS WHICH IT WAS BELIEVED HAD HAPPENED IN PEKIN, AT ONCE MADE THEM PUBLIC. CONSUL FOWLER'S DESPATCH IS AS FOLLOWS:

PEKIN TAKEN AFTER HARD BATTLE

By Associated Press to The Sun.

WASHINGTON, AUG. 18.—THE ACTING SECRETARY OF STATE MAKES PUBLIC THE FOLLOWING PLAIN TELEGRAM RECEIVED LAST (FRIDAY) EVENING FROM THE UNITED STATES CONSUL AT CHE FOO:

"CHE FOO, AUG. 17, 1900 (RECEIVED AUG. 17, 7.55 P. M.) SECRETARY OF STATE, WASHINGTON, SEVENTEEN. JAPANESE ADMIRAL REPORTS ALLIES ATTACKED PEKIN, EAST, 15TH. OBSTINATE RESISTANCE. EVENING, JAPANESE ENTERED CAPITAL WITH OTHER FORCES. IMMEDIATELY SURROUNDED LEGATIONS. INMATES SAFE. JAPANESE LOSS OVER 100. CHINESE 300.

"FOWLER."

GOOD NEWS CONFIRMED BY REMEY

By Associated Press to The Sun.

WASHINGTON, AUG. 18.—THE NAVY DEPARTMENT LAST NIGHT RECEIVED THE FOLLOWING CABLEGRAM FROM ADMIRAL REMEY:

"TAKU, AUG. 17, 1 A. M.

"BUREAU OF NAVIGATION WASHINGTON:

"JUST RECEIVED TELEGRAM FROM TIEN-TSIN DATED 16TH, 10 P. M.:

"'PEKIN WAS CAPTURED ON AUG. 15TH. FOREIGN LEGATIONS ARE SAFE. DETAILS FOLLOW SHORTLY.'

(SIGNED) "REMEY."

CHINESE SITUATION CAUSES REJOICING

By Associated Press to The Sun.

LONDON, Aug. 18—4 a.m.—"Pekin was relieved on the night of the 15th."

This message was received last evening at the imperial customs office in London from the commissioner of customs in Che Foo. It is the only official message that has reached England in confirmation of the earlier reports. Admiral Remey's despatch did not arrive in time for publication in the morning papers.

The Morning Post which is the only paper printing the Che Foo message, says: "Today is not only a day of national rejoicing; it is also a day of congratulation for all the powers of the world."

Proceeding to discuss the probabilities of a cessation of hostilities, the Morning Post assumes that the United States are willing to abandon any idea of further aggressive action, but it questions the disposition of Germany and the other powers to agree to such a course.

The Berlin correspondent of the Morning Post says he learns that no formal request for an armistice has yet reached the powers and that it is improbable that any such request would be granted.

The other papers comment guardedly upon the general situation, owing to the lack of definite news when the editorials were written. Most of them advocate a stern inquisition regarding outrages and the punishment of the leaders, even if they have to be pursued all over China.

The Daily Graphic, in a paragraph apparently inspired, says there is no reason to believe that any of the powers will repudiate the previous understanding to respect the integrity of the empire and the dynasty, adding that the proposal to land a British force at Shanghai originated not with the British government but with the Chinese who, at the same time urged that his should not be done if likely to lead to international complications.

"This," says the Daily Graphic, "disposes of the story that the viceroy of Nankin changed his mind under the influence of the consuls. Her Majesty's government, we believe, has no intention of contesting the right of France or the United States to land troops should either think it necessary."

CLAUDE HAMILTON

CAPTURED A FIRST PRIZE AT ATHOL.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

ATHOL, Mass., Aug. 18.—Nearly 1000 persons attended the bicycle races at Brookside park last evening Everything passed off in fine shape. The summary:

Match race between C. E. Hutchins and Eli J. Gaudette of Athol—Won by Gaudette. Time, 2m. 30s.

Two-thirds of mile open—Won by Claude Hamilton of Lowell; H. E. Walker, Orange, second; C. H. Drury of Winchendon, third. Time, 1m. 28s.

Half-mile novice—Won by C. E. Smith of Orange; B. L. Stevens of Orange second. Time, 1m. 3s.

Two-mile handicap—Won by R. A. Carnl of Worcester, scratch; C. H. Drury of Winchendon, second, 40 yds.; H. E. Walker of Orange, third, 50 yards. Time 4m. 51s.

Pursuit race between Carnl, Hamilton, Rutherford, Drury and Cartwright—Won by Carnl in 5m. 26s., after covering three miles and one-half.

At Concord, N. H., yesterday Phil Delphond won second prize in the two mile handicap from the 110 yd mark. Hamilton did not ride at this place, because he could not make connections to reach Athol in time for the race meet at that place in the evening.

POLITICAL FIGHT

IN WHICH REVOLVERS AND CLUBS FIGURED.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

SAN JUAN, P. R., Aug. 18.—Yesterday at Mayaguez a crowd of federals and republicans got together and after heated political dispute, 50 revolver shots were exchanged and clubs and other weapons freely used. One man was killed outright and a dozen others were injured, two fatally.

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MYSTERY SOLVED

Etta Warren Mother of Abandoned Child

Story Told the Police by Her Sister Who is Under Arrest—Child Was Born at Lowell General Hospital

Mary I. Warren, aged 24 years, was arrested in a boarding house in Hurd street last night on a charge connecting her with the case of abandonment of a child on Wednesday night this week.

It will be remembered that two young women called at the city farm and asked Superintendent Pinder if they could leave a child there. He could not receive the little one and so informed the women. They left the city farm and later the baby was found on the doorsteps of a house in Chelmsford street occupied by a family named Stackpole.

Since then the police have been trying to locate the two women. Supt. Pinder furnished a fine description of them and this with other information received by Inspector Allen led him to place Mary Warren under arrest. When questioned by the inspector she admitted she was implicated in the abandonment of the child, and said the mother of it is her sister, Etta Warren, of Nashua. The police at once started to locate the mother.

To Inspector Allen and Secretary Courtney of the pauper department this morning the girl under arrest made the following statement: "The mother of the child is my sister, Etta Warren, and she is in Nashua now. The father is Arvin Woods of Hancock N. H., who has been keeping company with Etta for some time. They came from Hancock to Nashua some time ago and I have two other sisters in Nashua. The child was born at the Lowell General hospital on July 25 and mother and child remained there till last Wednesday. On that day the father of the child came to Lowell and went to the hospital and passing as the husband of the woman, gained admission to the hospital. He and my sister with the child left the hospital in the evening and I accompanied them to Merrimack Square, where the father took a car to Nashua and my sister and I went to the city farm expecting we could leave the little one there. When we could not, we put it on a doorstep and went away. I had nothing more to do with it."

The woman appeared in court this morning and when the charge of "aiding and abetting the abandonment of a child of Etta Warren," was read, she said: "I guess that is all right." She was held in $200 till next Tuesday.

Inspector Allen went to Nashua this noon to place Etta Warren, the mother of the child, under arrest.

Helen E. Garland was charged with trespassing on the property of Charles Cooper. The judge gave her to understand that she must not disturb other people.

The following first offenders were fined $2 each: Edward Mullen and James Howard.

Elizabeth Bradley pleaded guilty to drunkenness and was sent to the workhouse for 20 days.

Michael J. Graney was charged with drunkenness and also assault and battery on Delia E. Smith. Miss Smith said Graney was going along the street when he raised his hand and struck her a severe blow, which hurt her. She does not know Graney and never saw him before. Judge Hadley remarked that Graney had been before the court at least 25 times. He found him guilty and sentenced him to jail for four months on the assault charge and two months additional for drunkenness. He appealed.

Mathew Boyle, George Sullivan and Thomas Hughes went in bathing yesterday and failed to put on any clothing. They were fined $1 each.

TROOPS OUT

And Patrolling Streets of Liberty City

By Associated Press to The Sun.

JESUP, Ga., Aug. 18.—Liberty City, two stations below Jesup, and in a remote southeastern portion of the state, is being patrolled by hundreds of armed men, two troops of cavalry, the Liberty Independents and Liberty Guards ,while men are sending away their women and children to escape the troubles that are expected to break out afresh tonight after 12 hours' cessation.

It is another of those race troubles that grew out of the killing of a white man by irresponsible negroes in a section where the blacks outnumber the whites three to one, and, as usual, the effect on the innocent, both white and black, is fearful.

Since the riot's inception, three days ago, two white men and three negroes have been killed, one white man has been seriously wounded by a powder explosion and last night's rioting culminated in the actual shooting of Col. James Thomas, a prominent Wayne county politician, who was a member of Sheriff Lyon's rescuing posse; the burning of stores at Liberty City and Walterville and an attempt to wreck a Plant System passenger train by negroes, who believed Sheriff Lyon's posse was on board. Sheriff Lyons returned to Jesup yesterday with his wounded assistants.

WORK WELL DONE

Nearly all Vaccinations Were Successful

The physicians who recently vaccinated nearly every resident of Little Canada are now inspecting their work and are much pleased with the results. Yesterday Dr. Halpin visited 60 persons whom he had vaccinated and found that in 58 cases the vaccination had "taken." Generally about 10 per cent. are unsuccessful. Little Canada is now thoroughly inoculated and it is doubtful if any more small-pox will break out this year.

DEATHS

FRASER—Harry Dexter Fraser, aged 4 months, died yesterday afternoon at the home of the parents, Allan and Bertha Fraser, 12 McKinley avenue. The parents have the sympathy of a wide circle of friends.

WINN—Catherine Winn, aged 35 yrs., died yesterday at her home, 228 Cross street. She is survived by five children, Mary, Ellen, James, Sarah and Annie Winn.

MANY REFUGEES

FROM CHINA ARRIVED AT SAN FRANCISCO.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Aug. 18.—A number of refugees have arrived here from China on the steamer Hong Kong Maru. Among them are Dr. P. C. Leslie of Montreal; Dr. C. H. Denman from Siam; Mrs. L. Jourtseller, from Japan and Dr. and Mrs. W. Malcolm and two children; Mrs. W. C. McClure and three children; Mrs. F. W. Partees and child; Dr. and Mrs. J. E. Skinner and two children; and Dr. H. G. Whelpton from China.

TWENTIETH CASE

Of Diphtheria Was Reported This Morning

Dr. Halpin this morning reported the 20th case of diphtheria, the victim being the two years old son of John Callahan residing in the rear of 359 Lakeview avenue. This is a tenement district and the health authorities will take every measure to prevent a spread of the disease.

AT POINT OF DEATH.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

NEW YORK, Aug. 18.—Mrs. James Strathie, mother of 11-year-old James Strathie of Highlands of Navesink, N. J., who died of rabies a month ago, is now at the point of death from the same disease. Mother and son were bitten by a playful dog and on its being killed and a postmortem held, the dog was found to have the disease.

LOADED CIGAR

IT EXPLODED AND SEVERELY BURNED THE SMOKER.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

NEW YORK, Aug. 18.—Edward C. Southard, a western business man, who is staying at a hotel here, was treated at Bellevue hospital last night for severe burns, caused by a loaded cigar. He says that he called on a friend in the afternoon who offered him, as he was saying good-bye, what appeared to be a choice Havana cigar. Southard was on a Second avenue car last night smoking his cigar when it exploded and caused a panic. Sparks from it set fire to the hat of a lady and persons who sat near Southard were moved to anger because they thought he had caused the explosion purposely.

AGNES McCOMB

Had a Narrow Escape From Death

Last week Agnes McComb, aged 16 years, had a narrow escape from death by a peculiar accident in the Carpet mills, where she works, under Overseer Swan.

She was employed in the room where the fancy rugs are sewed and finished. As the floors are waxed, they are quite slippery and care is necessary in walking upon them. Miss McComb in hurrying across one of the floors, accidently slipped and fell heavily upon her side. A pair of long scissors were suspended to her waist by a tape, and in her fall the scissors turned and entered her groin to the full length. They also opened while in the wound, thus causing a laceration of the flesh.

The brave girl, before she recovered her feet, turned and pulled the scissors from the wound, and then came a rush of blood which covered the floor around her. A doctor was quickly sent for and after applying remedies to stop the flow of blood, the girl was carried to a hack and sent to the Lowell hospital, where the wound was closed by seven stitches.

After a couple of days the girl was transferred to her home, and has now almost completely recovered. She had a most narrow escape from death, and the doctors, as well as her friends, are surprised that she recovered so quickly. They had feared blood poison, as the point of the scissors struck the bone, and bent under the weight of the girl's body.

It was at first thought that it would be necessary to have an operation to scrape the bone, but this was not resorted to, and happily the wound has almost completely healed up without any signs of further danger.

A GRAND SUCCESS

Managers of Day Nursery Gratified at Recent Picnic

The following letter has been submitted to The Sun for publication by Gen. C. A. R. Dimon:

Lowell, August 17, 1900.

"Editor Sun:

"In consideration of the great amount of pleasure received by over 300 children and working mothers of the city of Lowell, at the Day Nursery picnic held at the Oaklands Aug. 4, the Day Nursery managers think that they are justified in asking you to publish some recognition and in part the names of those who voluntarily, and without charge, gave their time and ability and donations to make one day, a day of pleasure to the working people of Lowell. It shows a practical charitable effort, without hope of personal or political reward; and may Lowell Citizens long follow the example, and their reward will be in their own hearts.

"Employes of different mills, to the number of 50, gave their free services. Toys and many prizes for children, at reduced prices, were furnished by Bartlett & Dow, Thompson Hardware company, W. T. S. Bartlett, Merrimack Street Hardware Company and to Brazer and company. Thanks is also due to Mr. D. L. Page. The Lowell Daily News, through Mr. Sullivan, printed 300 tickets free of charge. The Lowell and Suburban Railway company, through Mr. Woodman, furnished 250 free car rides, and the kindness and courtesy of the motormen and conductors to mothers and young children was very noticeable and the attention was perfect.

"One of the most enjoyable parts of the picnic was the music furnished by the Lowell Military band, that played for the children from 2 to 7.30 p. m., free of all charge. As each note meant a self-sacrificing effort for charity, I hope you will find room for their names. The boys do not know of this, but they deserve all the praise we can give them.

"James A. Murphy, leader; Charles Downs, James H. Buckley, Albert F. Shaw, cornets; J. Roach, Henry Heaps, J. Quigley, A. Hill, James Regan, clarinets; W. C. Bartlett, George Hayward, T. F. Hill, altos; A. Kerr, baritone; W. Gilson, J. Stavely, bassos; T. Gleason, E. Kittredge, trombones; P. Gallagher, F. Johnson, drums; W. Clark, cymbals.

"To the great number of citizens and other parties who gave their time and sympathy and labor to make the Day Nursery picnic of 1900 a success, the managers wish to express their thanks.

C. A. DIMON, Treasurer."

BACK FROM KLONDIKE.

Mr. Joseph Gadoua, who left Lowell for the Klondike in August, 1897, has returned to this city where he is welcomed by a host of friends. Mr. Gadoua is well satisfied with his experience in the gold regions but will visit Montreal before deciding whether or not he will return to the Klondike. It was Mr. Gadoua who accompanied Messrs. Pierre A. Brousseau and Adolphe Delile on their trip. Mr. Gadoua visited Cape Nome and left that place about six weeks ago. At Dawson City he met Messrs. Couture, Hamelin, Choquette and Ducharme of Lowell. All had claims and were working them to advantage.

COUNTRY WEEK FUND.

Previously acknowledged	$[illegible]
Thimble club, Pawtucketville	2.00
Mrs. E. D. Soper	1.00
W. B. Clark	2.00
Cash	[illegible]
S. J. A.	1.50
M. L. A.	1.00
E. O. C.	1.00
Walter Coburn	5.00
Tyngsboro	[illegible]
Mrs. A. B. B.	1.00
Mrs. Peter Anderson	2.00
D. L. Page Co.	10.00
High Street church	15.00
Friend	5.00
Friend	5.00
Total	$[illegible]

EDWARD ELLINGWOOD, Treas.

BOLD BURGLARS

COMMITTED MURDEROUS ASSAULT ON A WOMAN.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

BOSTON, Aug. 18.—Mrs. Bettie Alter, 47 years old, was murderously assaulted by a burglar, who had gained an entrance into her house at 35 Corning street at 2.30 this morning.

She was stabbed in three places on the head. One wound is on her forehead and the other two are in either temple.

Searching for Heirs.

A party in Brooklyn, N. Y., is searching for heirs to claim their interest in property. Ellen Conley of Massachusetts, niece of P. J. Conley, who died in one of the western states in 1895; Walter C. Frost, Middlesex County, Mass., 1881; Anna S. Mitchell, Worcester County, Mass., 1882; Frederick S. Stevens, Essex County, Mass., 1881. Any person knowing either party will be the means of benefiting them by sending the address to Post Office Box No. 1, Station W, Brooklyn, State of New York.

A BRAVE MOTHER

Risked Her Life to Save Her Child

LITTLE ONE FELL FROM WHARF

Both of Them Were in Great Danger

By Associated Press to The Sun.

LYNN, Aug. 18.—Mrs. Joseph Shocks of Charles street proved herself a heroine yesterday afternoon. She willingly placed her life in jeopardy to preserve that of her 4-year-old daughter who had fallen from a wharf.

Joseph Shocks, his wife and daughter left their home on Stickney street and walked to the wharf of the West Lynn yacht club off Commercial street. The child was playing on the dock near her mother when she suddenly rolled into the water.

The mother screamed and without an instant's hesitation jumped off the wharf after the child. Mr. Shocks tried to grasp his wife as she flew past him, but he only succeeded in catching a slight hold of her dress and this he was compelled to relinquish.

The child and mother sank from sight, but their cries and that of Shocks brought Joseph Hyde, a neighbor to the scene, and he immediately plunged overboard. He succeeded in diving and catching the child and handing her to the almost frenzied father, and then turned his attention to the drowning mother.

With difficulty he succeeded in keeping her head above water, and with the assistance of reserve officer Lyons landing her safely on the wharf. Even when in the water, the woman kept crying to the men to save her child and although weak harbor, she was anxious, when not unconscious, in ascertaining whether the life of the little one had been spared.

While the policeman and others rolled the child on a barrel and succeeded in resuscitating her, others assisted the mother and both were taken to their home.

MILLS CLOSED

IN MAINE FOR SPACE OF TWO WEEKS.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

BIDDEFORD, Me., Aug. 18.—All departments of the Pepperell Manufacturing company's mills in this city and the York mills in Saco, shut down at noon today for two weeks. Work will be resumed on September 4, the Tuesday following Labor Day. Five thousand operatives are employed in these mills. The cause of the shut down is under-consumption of the product due in part to the curtailment of the export trade on account of the Chinese trouble.

FUNERALS

FLANAGAN—The funeral of James Flanagan took place yesterday afternoon from the home of his parents, 45 Crosby street and was largely attended. Burial was in the Catholic cemetery in charge of Undertaker Rogers.

MILLER—The funeral of Frank Miller took place yesterday afternoon from the home of his parents in Bishop street. Burial was in the Catholic cemetery in charge of Undertaker Rogers.

PAYNE—The obsequies of the late James Payne were largely attended at the Immaculate Conception church this forenoon. There were many friends and relatives of the deceased from out of town, including the following: Mr. Harry Payne, Danvers; Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Cummings and children, Longsdale, R. I.; Mrs. Mary Kelley, a sister of the deceased, North Attleboro; a brother, John Payne, and family of Graniteville. A requiem mass was celebrated at 10 o'clock by Rev. Fr. Lawrence, O. M. I. The choir, under the direction of Prof. P. P. Haggerty, rendered the Gregorian plain chant and at the offertory Miss Marguerite Smith sang the hymn "Pie Jesu" by Leybach. After the elevation Director Haggerty rendered the hymn "O Salutaris," by Himmel and also the solos of the Libera. At the conclusion of mass a quartette composed of Messrs. Haggerty, Green, Courtney and Clark sang the pathetic hymn, "I Love to Hear my Saviour's Voice"—an adaptation of Director Haggerty's. The interment was in the Catholic cemetery under the direction of Undertaker Davey and the pallbearers were Messrs. Peter Bond, James Cox, Michael Kelley, Michael Ryan, Patrick Fay and Michael Tighe. The deceased is survived by a wife and one son, the latter Mr. John Payne, a popular member of the Y. M. C. I. of Belvidere.

LOST—A flannel coat between 169 Branch street and the city stables. Finder will be rewarded by returning the same to the Highland Laundry.

MONDAY, SEPT. 3,
LABOR DAY

On account of Monday, Sept. 3, being a legal holiday, depositors in the Savings Department of the Traders National Bank are reminded that deposits should be made on Saturday, Sept. 1, in order that they may

DRAW INTEREST for SEPTEMBER

at a rate of 4 per cent per annum, compounding semi-annually.

The banking hours on Saturday are intended to accommodate workingmen and others, the bank being open continuously from 8 a. m. to 9 p. m., and arrangements are made to handle the large amount of business offered during the evening hours, from 7 to 9, so that little or no delay is caused in serving the public.

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Banking rooms—39 to 42 Middlesex street and 11 to 21 Post Office avenue.

From Yesterday's Late Editions.

CROKER AND HILL

No Clash Between the Leaders

By Associated Press to The Sun.

SARATOGA, Aug. 17.—The heralded lively meeting of the state democratic committee is over and the announced heated argument between David B. Hill and Richard Croker did not materialize. Senator Grady and Mr. Hill clashed some on the motion to select a temporary chairman for the approaching state convention. On this proposition Mr. Hill was defeated, even though the vote demonstrated that he still has control of the state committee. Mr. Hill did not appear very much disappointed at the result.

The Croker element are jubilant, however, claiming that they have beat on Mr. Hill in the committee and that they will carry the matter further if he wishes.

The state committee selected Saratoga Sept. 11 as the time and place for the holding of the state convention. So far as the gubernatorial situation is concerned it is evident that Mr. Croker cannot be nominated unless Kings county changes its present attitude. In the matter of the temporary chairman, they stood solidly for Mr. Crokers side of the controversy. Erie county, however, with the exception of J. J. Kennedy voted with Mr. Hill.

CHELMSFORD CENTRE

The town clerk has received the town's supply of the Laws and Resolves for 1900. Copies are for distribution at the store of S. W. Parkhurst.

John N. Park of the South village is reported quite ill.

Charles W. Bryan has been on the invalid list several days.

Edward B. Emerson has been off duty this week on account of ill health.

Mrs. J. W. Perham and Miss Maud Perham have returned from their visit to New Brunswick.

C. F. Keyes of Lowell has sold the estate known as the L. J. Mansfield, Jr., place to a Mr. Phillips from New Hampshire, who has taken possession and is much pleased with his purchase.

The fruit growers report an abundance of early apples and the crop of late fruit will not be small.

Those from this village who will be in Chlengo national encampment week, starting the 25th, are J. A. Bartlett, J. P. Emerson, Francis Hutchinson, Francis Day and Paul Dutton.

BIRTHDAY PARTY.

Miss Annie Waters of 242 Central street observed her birthday by a delightful party entertaining a large number of her friends. There was vocal and instrumental music participated by the following:

Piano solo, Miss Mamie Chambers; vocal selections, Miss Maggie and Sadie Box and Miss Lizzie Donohue; cornet solo, Master Joseph Waters; dancing, Master T. F. Pyne; duet, Miss Annie and Master Joseph Waters.

Refreshments were served and games indulged in until a late hour when all departed for home wishing Miss Waters many happy birthdays.

GENERAL LAWTON CLUB.

The General Lawton club, which was formerly the Jolly Eight club, held a special meeting Thursday evening and decided to hold a banquet on Labor night. President White appointed the following on the committee: J. Joseph Kelley, Thomas F. Tracy, Charles D. Monahan, Jr., Frederick F. Flaherty and Thomas A. Ginty, all of this city and Dan'l F. Mulcahy of Lynn, Murray C. Caswell of Stoneham and John F. Horne of Ayer. This committee will hold their meetings in conjunction with the board of trustees.

ABANDONED CHILD

Left on a Door in Chelmsford Street

HAS BEEN CHRISTNED POLLY STACK

Supt. Pinder Talks on the Mother

The infant girl left on a door step near the city farm Wednesday night has been temporarily named. Polly Stack, and unless claimants put in an appearance the name will become permanent. It will be remembered that the child was left on the steps of the house occupied by John Stackpole in Chelmsford street and later removed to the city farm. According to the rules of that institution the names of all inmates must appear on the books and upon the child's arrival Supt. Pinder was in a quandry as to registration. Finally it occurred to him to invert the syllables of the name Stackpole, and christen the child "Polly Stack." That is the name which appears on the official books, and by which the child will be known unless claimed by her relatives or adopted by outside parties.

Despite the efforts of the Lowell police not a trace of the two women who called at the city farm prior to the discovery of the child on the door step has been found, and it is supposed that they have left the city. Descriptions of the pair have been given to every officer with instructions to arrest them on sight.

Mr. Stackpole says he is unable to tell whether the women were frightened away while in the act of entirely disrobing the child, or were attempting to give it some little protection from the cold, when they made a hasty retreat through fear of detection. But in either case, he thinks the statement that the child was well clothed lets them down too easily.

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AUCTION—SPECIAL SALE.

Twenty-five head of young, fresh horses, direct from the country; also a large number of acclimated horses, at the stable of C. H. Clapp & Co., No. 27 Cushing street, Thursday, August 23, at 2 o'clock p. m.

The horses consist of matched pairs, drivers, workers and, in fact, you will find horses at this sale adapted for any kind of work. Their colors are bays, browns, greys and chestnuts; they are all well broken, are an excellent lot, and are ready for use. If you are in want of a horse it will pay you to visit our new quarters on Cushing street. The horses will be on exhibition on and after Monday, August 20, and we will be pleased to show intending purchasers to their satisfaction.

For want of room we cannot describe them all. We have an excellent lot of dapple greys, weighing 1350 lbs., five years old, well broken, in single or double harness. One bay horse, six years old, weighing 1825 lbs., and acclimated. A very stylish pair of black horses, six and seven years old, weighing 2200 lbs. We have a number of excellent driving horses in this load that are city broken. If you will call at our stable and ride after them, we shall be pleased to show them to you to your entire satisfaction.

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I am determined to sell the above property, on the day advertised, regardless of the weather or price, and I have instructed Auctioneer Keyes to sell the same for the highest bid. Someone is sure to purchase this beautiful home, as it is much too large for me. I know I will have to make a sacrifice, but will have to be content with the public price.

The house consists of nine rooms, parlor, dining room, kitchen, chamber and a large shed on the first floor; there are three chambers on the second floor and two finished attics. The house is in very good repair inside; it is high studded; the rooms are very conveniently laid out, and has an extra good dry cellar. For a small expense it could very easily be made a two-tenement house, or it would make an excellent home for a large family.

The lot has a frontage of 82 feet on South street and runs 110 feet in depth, making an area of 3520 square feet. It is all sodded, concrete walks, fruit trees, shade trees, grape vines, flowers, shrubberies, etc., making a very beautiful garden at the rear of the house.

LOCATION: This property is located on the easterly side of South street, on the highest part of the hill; it commands a beautiful view across the South common. It is within two minutes' walk of the new beautiful St. Peter's church; within three minutes' walk of the school; within seven minutes' walk of several large industries and within three minutes' walk of the electrics.

When you sum up all the good points connected with this property, it should certainly interest you if you are looking for a comfortable and profitable home.

Terms: $350 to be paid as soon as the property is struck off, other terms at sale. By order of,

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ALMOST LYNCHED

Rope Put Around a Negro's Neck

More Rioting in New York Last Night—Colored Population is Panic Stricken

By Associated Press to The Sun.

NEW YORK, Aug. 17. The anti negro frenzy broke out again in this city last night. A crowd greater in number than that which did the rioting Wednesday night and yesterday blocked 8th avenue from 30th to 40th streets and surged through the side streets populated by negroes. The crowds were made up of from 5-0 to 100 persons. In all from 20,000 to 30,000 persons, mostly onlookers, were on the street.

At 8 p. m. a band of hoodlums at 37th street and 8th avenue saw a negro on a 34th street crosstown car. The unfortunate man was dragged from the car, beaten and kicked.

Someone yelled "Hang him!" No rope was at hand but a stout cord was produced. It was looped about the negro's neck.

A rowdy climbed up on the lamp post at the corner and scores of men, inflamed with passion, took hold of the cord and tried to hang the negro by pulling him off his feet. Outside men lifted the victim up. The strain on the cord was choking him when policemen clubbed the would-be lynchers right and left.

Few negroes were assaulted because they kept indoors. The colored population of the city is panic stricken.

At 13th street many colored families moved away. Gangs of roughs interfered and were charged by the police. Negroes from windows and roof tops pelted the whites with stones.

The fateful hatred on both sides in the West 37th street precinct was more bitter than yesterday. Negro ministers and leaders of the race hold the police responsible for the outbreak.

The police combatted the crowds in earnest. The reserves were held at every station in the city in case of emergency. Chief Devery denies the charges of police brutality. He says the policemen only did their duty.

ARMED NEGROES ARRESTED.

Acting Capt. Burns of the Tenderloin station said that negroes were going to pawnshops and sporting goods stores and buying pistols, ammunition and knives. This rather alarmed the captain.

A well dressed, good looking negro about 25 years old, who wore a diamond in his shirt, went into Crooks' sporting goods store, on Broadway, near the Gilsey house in the afternoon. He carried a satchel.

"Give me the biggest gun you have in the place," he said to the salesman. So say the salesman and the police.

"I hear there's some white men and some cops looking for trouble," said he loudly leaving the store. "They'd better not tackle me."

A customer followed the fellow from the store, and, at 28th street, meeting policeman John Daly of the Broadway squad told him what he heard. Daly tapped the negro's shoulder.

"What's in the satchel?"

"My laundry."

"Open the satchel."

Daly is a little bigger than John L. Sullivan. The negro opened his satchel. There was the fine weapon and several boxes of cartridges. He was taken to the station house and locked up.

Policeman Neil Brown of the Tenderloin arrested Alfred Bradshaw of 210 West 25th street at 6.35 p. m. Brown said Bradshaw was flourishing a revolver on 15th street between 6th and 7th avenues and threatening to kill "anything with a white skin that walks on two legs."

"Sol Rosell" Wright, who announced with some pride that he oils the floors of the office of the Standard Oil company, was arrested by Policemen Kenny and Hokes at 7th avenue and 25th street at 7.15 p. m. Wright wore a shirt waist and light flannel trousers. He brandished a bright, new hunting knife and loudly declared, the policemen said, that he was on the war path in search of blood scalps.

QUIET AT THORPE'S FUNERAL.

Led, flanked and followed by policemen, the funeral of Robert J. Thorpe the murdered policeman, moved slowly through the Tenderloin's negro quarter yesterday afternoon. Great crowds of white people lined the route, but the stoops of the tenement houses usually swarming with negroes were deserted.

Trouble had been anticipated when the casket containing the body of the slain policeman was exposed to the gaze of the thousands who thronged the streets.

Policemen toured the negro settlements and warned all negroes to keep off the streets during the afternoon. The temper of the mob was just as virulent as it had been the night before. The negroes knew it, and the deference they paid to the warning was absolute.

When it came to 2 o'clock there were probably 200 white people in the neighborhood of the house of death. At intervals of a few feet the helmet of a policeman could be seen bobbing about in the sea of heads. Not a black face could be seen. Scattered through the crowd were nearly 50 policemen in plain clothes from headquarters and the neighboring precincts.

While the chief, who had taken personal charge of affairs, was arranging his guard at Ninth street, a bold negro rode up on a bicycle. As the negro dismounted from his wheel a big well-dressed man, standing in the crowd, yelled:

"Lynch the nigger."

Chief Devery was across the street in about three jumps, but the big man who had shouted made good a judicious retreat. Small boys took up the cry, but it did not spread.

NEW HOSPITAL

New Emergency Hospital in Gorham Street

A VALUABLE ADDITION TO THIS CITY

Has Had 120 Cases Since First of Month

A very valuable institution which has been opened in this city, and which bids fair to become a very important addition to our hospital service, is the Lowell Emergency Hospital.

The hospital is in the building formerly occupied by Jerome F. Manning, 283 Gorham street, and is next to the new St. Peter's church. It opened on the first day of August, and up to Thursday evening has attended to 120 cases, being an average of nearly eight a day.

Mr. L. F. Perrigo of Arlington is the manager, and he speaks very highly of the institution. He says that it is mostly for the wage earners, and the terms asked by this institution are within the reach of every man and woman.

A certificate is issued by this hospital to men, women and children for one dollar, that entitles the holder to medical and surgical aid at the hospital for one year. This certificate is not transferable. The certificate permits any number of visits, if made within the year, medicines alone being paid for at a little above cost, but fully as low as they can be procured at any drug store.

The hospital is open day and night, Sundays and holidays; its doors never being closed. At the present time there are two physicians and surgeons, Dr. W. H. Gallagher and Dr. W. A. Fogg. Both of these men have long hospital experience.

The building occupied is large enough for the present, but it is intended within a year or so to make large additions or to erect a new building.

On the first floor of the hospital are the reception room, office and operating room. Up stairs are men's and women's wards. In the men's ward there are two beds, and in the women's ward one bed.

It is not the intention of the hospital authorities to have their patients stay over night, but to remove them to their homes after their wounds have been dressed, but cases now and then come up which are too serious to be removed from the hospital so soon after treatment or operation. After a patient is removed from the hospital to his or her home, the hospital doctors go there on regular visits.

At present there is no ambulance connected with the hospital, and the city ambulance is used, but it is the intention of the authorities to have an ambulance of their own in the near future. The building itself is centrally located, and about an equal distance from the extremes of the city.

If a person is injured and has an Emergency hospital certificate, the driver of the ambulance immediately removes the person to the Emergency hospital, and if a person who has not got a certificate wishes to be taken to this institution, he has but to notify the driver.

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MORE DIPHTHERIA

Three Cases Discovered in Centralville Families

VICTIMS HAD ATTENDED DAY NURSERY

Latest Cases are Not Severe

The number of diphtheria cases for this month has been increased to 12 by the discovery of three cases yesterday in two families, one in Front street and the other in Dudley avenue.

None of the last cases is very severe but all are diphtheria and others may develop from them as two of the children were attendants at the Day Nursery on First street up to the time of the discovery of the disease.

As a result no children were received at the nursery yesterday, the matrons wisely taking precautions to prevent any possible spread of the disease. When Health Inspector Bates learned of the cases Wednesday evening he went at once to the Nursery for the purpose of having the children attired yesterday morning so that the health authorities might look them over and ascertain if any of them showed any signs of the disease. He was informed however that the children would not be received yesterday and hence did not see them. The children affected have such light cases that it is extremely doubtful that they spread it to others.

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Notes of Interest From Local Catholic Churches

A number of summer vacationists from the different parts of the country who are now sojourning at Cohassett and Scituate are to participate in a concert next Sunday evening in aid of the parish of which Rev. William H. McDonough, formerly of St. Peter's church in this city is pastor. Many of the summer residents of the above popular resort are wealthy Catholics who hold Fr. McDonough in the highest esteem and have taken this means to evidence their esteem for him. Mr. James E. Donnelly of St. Peter's church, this city has been invited to take part in the concert and asked to render in connection with other songs the popular Irish ballad, "The Boys of Wexford." Mr. Donnelly has sent a favorable reply to the committee in charge of the concert and will leave for Cohasset Sunday forenoon.

Carpenters will soon begun the work of laying the floors of and putting in the be the cathedral church of the district.

A well known clergyman has informed seats in the new St. Peter's church.

a Sun reporter that the latter need not be surprised if Rev. Michael Ronan, the popular pastor of St. Peter's church, will soon be elevated to the throne of bishop and that the new St. Peter's church will be the cathedral church of the diocese, over which the highly esteemed prelate to be will have charge. It is claimed that the diocese has become exceedingly large of late years and that Archbishop Williams and Bishop Brady have been overtaxed in their labors in what is known as the Boston district. The Springfield diocese is admirably looked after by Bishop Beaven but the northern part of the state, or what will be the Lowell diocese needs as its head a prelate of excellent administrative abilities and it is conceded by clergymen and laymen alike that Father Ronan meets all the requirements necessary.

Brother Norbert, formerly John Cowhig who has been conducting the summer school at St. John's college, has been visiting his parents in this city during the past week.

The following is the Catholic calendar for the week:

Aug. 19, Sunday, 11th after Pentecost. St. Joachim; Aug. 20, Monday, St. Bernard, C.; Aug. 21, Tuesday, St. James Frances de Chantel, widow; Aug. 22, Wednesday, of the Octave; Aug. 23, Thursday, St. Philip Benti, C.; Aug. 24, Friday, St. Bartholomew, Apostle; Aug. 25, Saturday, St. Louis, King of France, C.

One of the prettiest pieces of landscape gardening in the city of Lowell is that of Columbus park, in front of the Immaculate Conception church. Without doubt this church has the prettiest frontage of any church in the country.

It is laid out in a very artistic manner, the entrance to the church being filled in to a height of about six feet. In different parts of the park are figures of different kinds filled in with a variety of beautiful flowers. In the centre of the lawn is a beautiful star which has attracted the attention of many of the passersby, and brought forth abundance of praise for the beautiful flowers and artistic designs.

On the plot at the corner of East Merrimack and Brown streets there are several mounds, one of which is raised three feet with loose stone for a base, and on the mound are several species of flowers. Throughout the garden are many rare and beautiful exotic plants. This park adds greatly to the grandeur of the church, which, in itself, is one of the most magnificent edifices in this part of the country.

No pains or expense have been spared in beautifying the church or the park. The newly purchased land at the corner of Brown and Stackpole streets will be filled in and levelled off. The Oblate fathers own the square bounded by East Merrimack, Fayette, Stackpole and Brown streets, and with this large space affords plenty of light to the church and makes it a very attractive and beautiful place. This church will never be hemmed in by tenement houses or buildings of any nature, with the exception of the building of the Young Men's Catholic Institute.

Much praise is due to Brother Alphonse Marion, O. M. I., who has charge of the premises. Brother Marion is a zealous and untiring worker and is proud of the park of which he has charge. He is ably assisted by Mr. Perry in his artistic work.

Rev. E. A. Dorgan, O. M. I., of the Immaculate Conception church, who has been enjoying a two weeks' vacation, is expected to return home today, after which he will resume his duties at this church.

Rev. Patrick J. McGrath, O. M. I., of the Immaculate Conception church is improving in health, and is expected to be able to resume his duties at this church at an early day.

Rev. Edmund O'Callahan, O. M. I., of the college of Brownsville, Tex., has been visiting his parents in Boston during the past week, and he made a trip to this city, visiting the parochial residences of the Sacred Heart and Immaculate Conception churches.

Rev. Hugh O'Donnell of Boston was a recent visitor in this city.

Rev. Fr. Curran of Beverly was visiting in this city during the past week.

The Sisters of St. Mary of the Sacred Heart parochial school, have returned from their annual retreat at the mother house at Lockport, N. Y. They arrived in this city yesterday. Sister Martha, who was stationed in Texas last year, will perform the duties of superior, taking the place of Sister St. Joseph, who was superior during the past season. This school will reopen on the same day as the public schools will.

Work on the new Sacred Heart church is progressing rapidly, and the electrical work and plastering is very nearly completed. There will be no delay on account of the death of Architect Fond.

Rev. Eugene A. Carney, a popular curate of St. Michael's church, has been enjoying a week's vacation. Rev. Richard Boland has been performing the entire duties of the church during his absence. It is expected that Fr. Carney will return today.

Rev. Timothy V. Callahan of St. Patrick's church has nearly entirely recovered from his recent illness, and will soon resume his duties at that church.

The Xaverian brothers, who are to teach in the St. Patrick's parochial school in Suffolk street this season are expected to arrive in this city sometime during next week. Brother Matthew, who will be the superior, is busily engaged having their house on Varney street painted on the interior and exterior, and furnishing the entire house. The house has also been papered and many other improvements made. Brother Matthew left for Somerville last evening.

The Grey Nuns of St. Joseph's Girls' college in Moody street are expected to return to this city today. They have been at their summer villa at Tewksbury Centre.

The brothers of St. Joseph's Boys' college in Merrimack street have returned from their annual retreat in Canada.

Rev. Fr. Perrin, O. M. I., of St. Jean Baptiste church, in Merrimack street, is ill in Salem. It is hoped by his parishioners and also his many friends that he will soon recover and be able to resume his duties.

Revs. W. George Mullin and Edward F. Saunders of St. Peter's church interviewed the Cuban teachers when they were in this city, on the adoption of the American system of schools in Cuba. The conversation was conducted in Latin.

It is expected that the new St. Peter's church will be ready for occupancy by Dec. 1.

Rev. Philip Sexton of St. Patrick's church is on his vacation.

Rev. Ed. F. Saunders of St. Peter's church, accompanied by his father, Mr. Edward Saunders, of Tremont street, has started on an extended tour of the South and West.

BURNED TO DEATH

A WOMAN AND A LITTLE GIRL PERISHED.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

METHUEN, Mass., Aug. 18.—Mrs. W. H. Barton and Henrietta Peabody, a girl of 14 living with her were burned to death Yesterday noon, their clothes taking fire from a gasoline stove on which they were preparing dinner. The girl ran into the barn and in an attempt to extinguish the fire with hay set fire to the barn, which was destroyed.

NEW ARRIVAL.

Pres. James A. Maguire of the Lowell Reform club is being congratulated upon the arrival of a young son. Mother and child are doing well.

FOUR DROWNED

BY WRECK OF THE LAUNCH AQUILLA.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

SEATTLE, Wash., Aug. 18.—The steamer Humbolt in port from Lynn canal with 95 passengers, 63 of them Klondikers and more than $250,000 in treasure from the Klondike. The largest treasure holder was Clarence Berry with more than $150,000.

Nearly all of the passengers from the Klondike are said to have possessed some dust. Dawson advices dated Aug. 4 report the drowning of four persons by the wreck of the launch Aquilla.

COUNTERFEIT NICKLES

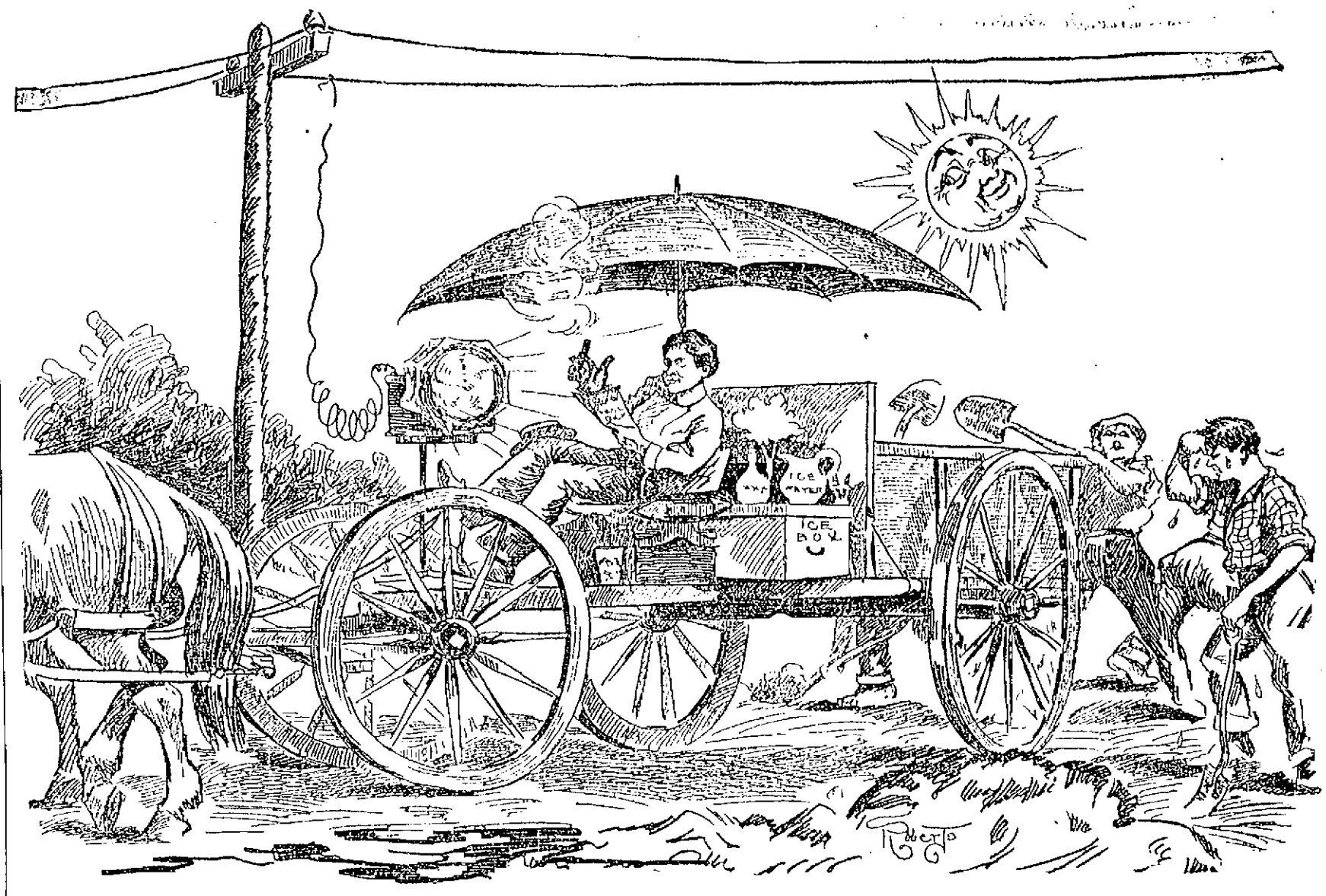
LOWELL PEOPLE BEING FOOLED WITH BAD FIVE CENT PIECES.

A slick counterfeit nickel is in circulation in Lowell. It is made of alumunum, evidently, and is appreciably lighter in weight than the genuine coins and feels smooth and greasy to the touch. Street car conductors are finding them among their fares.

An examination under a magnifying glass shows defects in the lettering, the figures and the hair of the head, but to a casual observer the counterfeit is clever and hard to detect. Local banks have not received any of them yet, but they are on the lookout for them.

OPENED TODAY.

The electric road connecting Bedford and Concord was opened today.



HOW WOULD YOU LIKE TO BE THE DRIVER?

FIRST CITY SHOVELLER—"Say Jim, why is it that the men in this world who do the most work get the least pay? Here we are getting $1.75 while the driver up there doing nothing gets $2.00. Wouldn't you like to be the driver?"

SECOND SHOVELLER—"Indeed I would, especially since they have been allowed to read newspapers and novels while we load the teams."

FIRST SHOVELLER—"O that's nothing Jim, I hear they are to be furnished with ice water, bouquets and electric fans. Faith, I'd like to be the driver."

PERSONALS

Thomas O'Hern of Lowell is visiting his parents in Dover, N. H.

Arthur Brown of High street, Lawrence, is on a visit to this city.

John Denner of Lawrence was a recent visitor here.

Mr. Charles Duprls of the Bon Marche is on his vacation.

Miss Josephine Quinn of Chapel street is sojourning at Old Orchard.

Miss Lillas Ingalls is spending her vacation in the provinces.

Police Officer John Walsh is enjoying his vacation at Chazy, N. Y.

Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Shaw, the milliners, have gone to Maine on their vacation.

Mr. John Slack and family will spend the next 15 days at Salisbury beach.

Misses Lizzie McLaughlin and Mamie McCarthy have gone to New York city for a vacation of several weeks.

Miss Ellen O'Leary, matron of the Kirk Street Day Nursery, will spend her vacation at Eastport, Me.

Mrs. Charles Austin of the Bon Marche is enjoying "old home week" in New Hampshire.

Mrs. George H. Allard has returned from a two weeks' vacation at Crescent beach.

Misses Kittie King and Christina Kane of this city are enjoying the exhilirating breezes of Winthrop beach.

Mr. Harry Kelley of Union street has returned from an enjoyable sojourn in the Green Mountain State.

Misses Margaret Riley and Elizabeth McMahon of Cedar street are spending a few weeks at York beach, Me.

Miss Jennie L. O'Donoghue of Claire street is enjoying the invigorating breezes at Old Orchard.

Mrs. Thomas Higgins and daughter Margaret are spending a two weeks' vacation at Crescent beach.

Miss Emma Carroll and Miss Margaret Sullivan of Lowell, are visiting friends in Portland, Me.

Mrs. Lilla Berry of Lynn is a guest at ex-Councilman A. B. Bosca's, on Billerica street, Chelmsford.

Mrs. M. R. Clifford and daughter, Elnora, have gone to North Vassalboro, Me., for a short stay.

Charles E. Tilton will leave on Monday for Rockland, Me., where he will enjoy a month's vacation.

Ex-Alderman James F. Miskella is enjoying life at New York and Atlantic City.

Miss Alice Myers of the city library sailed on the Saxonia this afternoon for an extended European trip.

Dr. and Mrs. George L. Van Dnerson have arrived home from Peterboro, N. H.

Dr. and Mrs. Joseph N. Marston and son arrived home in Lowell last night from Edinburg, Scotland.

Miss Edna E. Hanson has gone to Wentworth, N. H., for a three weeks' vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Adams are at the Langsford house, Cape Porpoise, Me., for the rest of August.

Operator James Howard of the police signal service is on his annual vacation.

Messrs. Francois Lacouture, Francis Lambert and Zeion Page are rusticating at Long pond.

Miss Ernestine Alexander has returned from a visit to Holyoke and West Royiston.

Miss Emma C. Bruce of Pondaville is visiting at the home of her aunt, Mrs. Albert Dege, in Fairmount street.

Misses Louise and Florence Parker and Miss Myra Tenneworthy will spend the last two weeks in August at Salem Willows.

Mr. John Murphy, the tonsorial artist at Anderson's Lincoln square barber shop, has returned from a meeting of the Pine Tree State grange. He inspected several specimens of high grade cattle while in Maine, but was particularly impressed with the "short horn" variety.

Mr. and Mrs. George H. Wood have returned from a visit to the Rangely Lakes. Mr. Wood reports the fishing good.

Mrs. F. A. French and her daughters, Misses Eva and Mildred, of 213 Parkview avenue, have gone to Maine and New Hampshire.

Police Officer John Freeman and family are enjoying their vaction in Cincinnati and other points of interest in the Buckeye State.

Mrs. Edmund Tetley of Lawrence and her daughter, Miss Gertrude Tetley of Lowell, are guests of the Rev. Edmund B. Tetley of Orr's Island, Me.

Miss Grace Darling of Liberty street, accompanied by her uncle, is enjoying a sojourn at points of interest along the New England sea coast.

Misses Alice L. Adie and Annie G. Donoghue have returned from a month's sojourn at Sharon Springs, N. Y.

Miss Hicks of Gates street will spend the next two weeks at Providence and Narragansett Pier as the guest of her cousin, Miss Johnson.

Miss Adelaide E. Noyes left today for Middleboro to be the guest of Dr. Geo. M. Clark and family. She will be away a week.

Miss Nellie M. Brown and Miss Nellie B. Chitty are enjoying the salt air during their three weeks' vacation at Old Kennebunkport, Me.

Miss Jennie Todd of Walden street is attending the Epworth league convention at Sterling, Mass., and will be there during the remainder of August.

Letter Carrier John Ewing and his sister, Miss Lena Ewing, will enjoy a vacation of two weeks at Canobie lake, Salem, N. H.

Messrs. Charles H. Foye and Thomas A. Ginty of the Lawton club have returned from an enjoyable vacation at Shawn Springs, N. Y.

Major Cosette and Edward Boulanger of the Bon Marche are enjoying sea furing life at Nantucket on their vacation.

Mr. George A. Dickey and wife and sister, Mrs. O. T. Wilkins, and Mr. Walter Adams and wife are on a two weeks' vacation at Hill's beach, Old Orchard.

Rev. Charles H. Wilcox, wife and son of Lawrenceville, N. J., are visiting for a few days at the home of Dr. J. J. Colton in Varnum avenue, Pawtucketville.

The Misses Laura A. D. Lord, Lydia H. Mahoney and Genevieve A. McConnor of Lawrence, are among the successful applicants for admission to the Lowell Training school.

The Misses Nellie M. O'Brien and Florence M. Provost, have returned from a very enjoyable vacation, alternating between the seashore and the mountains.

Letter Carrier J. William Maguire and wife have returned from a most delightful sojourn of 15 days at Crescent beach and vicinity.

Mr. Guy V. S. Stapleford, who has been spending a few weeks in Oakland, Me., has arrived at his home, 225 Walker street, accompanied by his bride.

Mr. D. H. Dickinson and little daughter, Agnes, of 12 Mammoth road, have returned from a very pleasant trip to North Adams, Mass., accompanied by Miss Beraice McIntyre of that place.

Mr. L. E. Pullen, advertising manager of the J. C. Ayer company, has gone to Detroit with a party of advertising men who will be entertained by one of the newspapers in that city.

Mrs. Henry C. Wilder of Puffer avenue, is at Asbury grove, where she will spend the month of August as the guest of her daughter, Mrs. N. H. Hovey of Winchester.

The Lowell people registered at New York hotels during Wednesday, included Misses Curran, P. L. and W. Gregoire, Miss A. Higgins, T. Southam, Broadway Central, A. W. Moore Grand Union.

Fraulein Mueller, formerly German instructor in Rogers Hall school, who has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. George W. Hobson of East Merrimack street, has left for the Berkshire hills.

Mr. William F. Hills vice president of the Traders National bank, will, with Mrs. Hills, make a tour of Europe this fall. They sail from New York next Saturday on the Cunard steamer Lucania.

Miss Annie Conrod Ramsay, eldest daughter of James F. Ramsay, of Thorndike street, has gone to New York for six weeks, and while there will be employed in Johnson's wholesale millinery house.

The following are among the members of the police force who are now enjoying their vacation: Officers McCann, Kiernan, Healey and Hanley. The latter is enjoying his annual sojourn at Hull.

Mr. and Mrs. David Williams and family of Hazleton, Pa., are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Edmonds of Beacon street. Mr. Williams formerly worked in Lowell in connection with the installation of the block signal system on the Boston and Maine railroad.

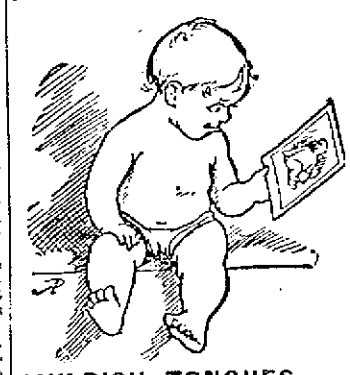
Mr. Sumner Williams, the popular clerk at Ellingwood's Tower corner pharmacy, with wife and child, have returned from a very enjoyable vacation of one week at Lake Whalon, Fitchburg.

Letter Carrier William Higgins and wife have returned from a very enjoyable sojourn in Boston and vicinity. Mr. Higgins was a resident of Boston for six years and took this opportunity to renew acquaintances with old-time friends.

The following guests are registered at the Newark house, Salisbury beach: Charles P. Smith, P. Noonan, John Dalton, Joseph F. Corcoran, John F. Murray, Thomas S. Cuff, Hugh Farley, Walter S. Kline, Frank B. Burns, John J. Kelleher, John B. Doliger, Belvidere club, Lowell; Walter F. Connolly, Lowell; Wilmer Connerau, M. E. Connerau, Collinsville; James E. Burns, Lowell.

EPWORTH LEAGUE DAY.

Thursday was Epworth league day at the Methodist camp meeting at The Weirs, N. H. Mrs. Annie E. Smiley of this city was one of the speakers.



CHILDISH TONGUES

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WITH DEWEY

MEMBER OF OLYMPIA'S CREW VISITING IN LOWELL.

Frederick E. Allez, a seaman who was in the battle of Manila, is in the city visiting his friend, Moses Forget of Lakeview avenue. Mr. Allez was in the battle of Manila on board the Olympia and tells an interesting story of his experiences in the Philippines, and his story of the battle, in which he participated, is very interesting indeed. He understands the situation in those far-away islands to perfection.

Mr. Allez has been in the navy for several years, and it is probable that he will re-enlist within a short period. A collection which he made of curiosities are on exhibition in the store of Mr. Forget on Lakeview avenue.

APPOINTED OVERSEER.

Mr. P. Quinn, who during the past 10 years has been employed as second-hand of the dry finishing department of the Middlesex mills, has been promoted to the position of overseer of that department, lately made vacant by the retiremen of Mr. William G. Frantz. The Middlesex Co. divides the finishing process into two distinct departments; the "wet" and "dry" finishing. Speckling, burling, shearing, pressing, examining, etc., came under the head of "dry" finishing of which Mr. Frantz has had charge being now succeeded by Mr. Quinn. Overseer O. Comatock holds the responsible position of "wet" finisher; wet finishing department consists of carbonizing, scouring, fulling gigging, steaming, etc.

Agent Saunders' policy of promotion when justified by merit is most commendable; as it tends to encourage men holding subordinate positions, to put forth their best efforts.

DESTROYED BY FIRE.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

GREENVILLE, N. H., Aug. 18.—The house of Geo. Anderson of Higginsville, two miles from New Ipswich, was totally burned, with contents, yesterday afternoon. The cause is unknown. Loss, $2500. No insurance.

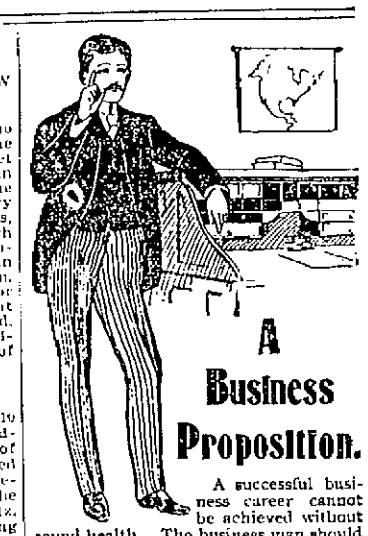
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During the last seven weeks, I have taken the treatment of 81 persons who had failed to get any relief after years of trial. It came in during the last week. Of the 69 supposed hopeless cases, 23 have been discharged cured. Ninety per cent. of the other 47 will recover. We cannot cure an organic disease. I could never have favorably effected these cases with medicine alone. Medicine and the vitalizer together have produced the most marvelous results. I would be pleased if the physicians of Lowell will test me on a dozen incurable cases, not in organic disease, which I will treat free of charge. References ready.

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36 Varney Street.
Afternoon and Evening.



A Business Proposition.

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The "Discovery" strengthens the body by supplying Nature with strength making materials. It contains no whisky, alcohol or other intoxicant.

"After three years of suffering with liver trouble and malaria," writes Mr. Edward Jacobs, of Marengo, Crawford Co., Indiana, "I gave up all hopes of ever getting stout again, and the last chance was to try your medicine. I had tried all the home doctors and received but little relief. After taking three bottles of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery and one vial of his 'Pleasant Pellets' I am stout and hearty. It is due entirely to your wonderful medicines."

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CAMPAIGN MATERIAL.

The budget of letters and correspondence which the war department reported to have been taken from the baggage of Aguinaldo about the time the wardrobe of that patriot's wife was captured, has been partly made public. It was alleged at the time that there was a communication from Senator Hoar, and one it was thought from Edward Atkinson. The most treasonable has been given out and it proves to be a silly production from an old Englishman named Leverson, who resides at Fort Hamilton, N. Y., and who has had a penchant for seeking notoriety by such communications. The letters have been held until the present in order that they might serve for campaign purposes. Mark Hanna will undoubtedly write to Funston or MacArthur for more of them. Somebody will be set to work to manufacture bogus letters as productions sent by anti-imperialists. Since the endorsement of Bryan by the anti-imperialists at Indianapolis, Hanna is frantic and McKinley is fast losing even the hope of re-election, owing to the wonderful exodus of republican leaders to join the democrats in the onward march to victory.

SMOOTH PAVING.

The trick by which competition was always shut out on the paving contracts was the putting in the resolution a clause providing that only a certain kind of smooth paving should be used. When "Smooth Bob" was laying the asphaltina, the resolutions called for bids on asphaltina, and none but the Boston Paving company could bid. When "Smooth Bob" fell out with the Boston Paving company and started to sue them for "commissions," the resolutions that were sent into the city council read "Trinidad Lake asphalt," thus shutting out all companies that did not use that particular brand. The mayor's attention was called to the discrimination in each case; but he threw up his hands in indignation and said "The gentlemen of the city council know what kind of a resolution they are passing, and I will not interfere with them. This course has brought the mayor to his present ridiculous attitude on smooth paving.

A correspondent informs the Sun that some of the bar rooms are allowing minors to enter their places and drink same as adults. There is also a relaxation in the regulation regarding women entering and sitting in the saloons. The police should look into the matter.

THE SCHOOL BOARD.

The people of Lowell who read the article in yesterday's Sun upon the action of the school board at their last meeting approve of everything said therein and some go even farther and say they will take more direct steps to bring the school board and the superintendent to a sense of their obligation to the public. They say that Mr. Whitcomb is paid altogether too much in getting as much as the mayor of the city, while his chief concern seems to be to attend public meetings at a distance and draw upon the city for his expenses. The matter will receive attention later on.

BRYAN'S CABINET.

The republican press is already discussing where Bryan would get material for his cabinet. Alas! how solicitous they are for the country. They can rest assured that Bryan will have men rather than toadies for his cabinet officers; he will not be the tool of any boodler like Mark Hanna nor of the trusts and combines, as is McKinley. Bryan will be president and he will select a cabinet that will protect the American republic and all its interests —men who will have due regard for the enforcement of the law and for the constitution of the United States.

McKinley and his followers are in despair and Mark Hanna cannot save them.

THE CHINESE SITUATION.

The allies are reported to have entered Pekin and put the cowardly Boxers to flight. The leaders should suffer. The Boxers are the worst kind of fanatics that has ever appeared in any country and they must be punished for the slaughter of Christians. China is on her knees begging, but her appeals and protestations should receive but little consideration until full reparation shall have been made for the slaughter of Christians and the indignity and damage to the ministers and the citizens of other nations.

CROWDING STREET CARS.

The crowding of street cars should be stopped. When people go out for pleasure they should not be subjected to the pressure of several passengers resting upon their shoulders, crowding them on either side and in front. Some street car companies have made a rule that only five shall sit in the same seat and that passengers shall not stand on the foot boards. That makes a ride on the electric cars enjoyable, but it will apparently be some time before the syndicate controlling the street cars around Lowell will have these advantages.

The epidemic of diphtheria is more alarming than the few cases of smallpox. What can be the cause? Bad streets and lack of proper sewerage are the only causes thus far assigned. The superintendent of streets and the health department are the parties on whom responsibility rest.

General De Wet has fooled Kitchener again and joined forces with General Delarey. Now Kitchener will order a right about wheel as he would be handicapped if he came in contact with the forces under both the Boer generals.

The late ex-Senator John J. Ingalls was a son of Massachusetts, a brilliant man in many ways, a distinguished orator and writer, who, however, has left nothing of a permanent character to perpetuate his name.

It is deplorable that there is an outbreak of race feeling in New York. It started in New Orleans. New York has taken up the matter and as a result trouble may ensue in other cities.

Robert Trent Paine, as was expected, will again run for governor of Massachusetts. He is a bright young man and would make an excellent governor.

Young William Bryan is the only disturbing element in the Bryan family. In working off his surplus energy he annoys many of those around him.

CRISP GOSSIP

Every politician regards himself as the paramount thing.

The weather man of late has been a veritable Dr. Jeykll and Mr. Hyde.

The hair grows considerably faster in summer than in winter.

The price of flour has gone down $1 a barrel.

Now the native peaches are coming into the market.

The German emperor possesses in all 31 residences.

Lowell people are reading less fiction and more history which is a direct result of the war.

More steel is used in the manufacture of jews harps than in all the sword and gun factories of the world.

Fifty thousand typhus germs will thrive in the small circumference of a pinhead.

Don't fret about the weather. There will be snow enough to shovel next winter.

The water in the Merrimack and Concord rivers has been increased materially by the late rain.

Happy is the man who is sure there is one woman who has unlimited faith in what he can accomplish.

Two of the greatest literary productions of the Chinese are a dictionary in 5020 volumes and an encyclopedia in 10,337 volumes.

The United States is ahead of all other countries in the art of making artificial teeth. It is computed that 6,000,000 are fabricated here annually.

The theory that appendicitis is often caused by the habit of sitting with the legs crossed should be borne assiduously in mind by men who ride in street cars.

Let the girls spend all the time they want in doing up their hair. In a few years more they will twist it in a tight little knot in order to have more time to curl their childrens hair.

Candidates for the royal Irish constabulary must be nominated by the lord lieutenant through a member of parliament. The limits of age are 21 to 26; minimum height, 5 feet 8 inches.

A man may have opinions of his own about the ideal woman, but when it comes to marrying, a plain, every-day girl is apt to know more about good housekeeping.

The common German hen lays about 500 or 600 eggs in 10 years. In the first year the number is only 10 to 20; in the second, third and fourth, 100 to 125 each, whence it again diminishes to 10 in the last year.

Thomas Muncey, aged 90 years, died the other day at his home in Little Creek, Del. He never saw a railroad train, never used tobacco, and never drank liquor. Little Creek is not on a railway line.

How ill must women reckon men!
To hands fast bound by burdens not their own,
Stretching soft palms; resentful when
That bold love rank must stand or fall alone.

Her inward look misunderstands
Too oft, the hill top of his wider view—
Too oft she broods in shadow lands,
While his wings flash between the sun and dew!

Facing the worst, he hopes the best
Singing he works—while women bid him pause;
The wrong ids busy arms arrest,
Her faith commits into a lighter way.

Her heart for passion's answer cries
Unto a heart, that for love's sake divides
Delight with duty; he be wise
His soul a secret hid in self abides.

Yet if she knew—would God she knew!
Through solitude, through folly and through strife,
Her touch keeps that lone spirit true
And bids the gift men part with lust—their life!

Evidently the Head of the House—No, said the man at the door, I have no views on politics. Well, returned the political canvasser, in that case I'd like to interview your wife.

A pet millipede cat belonging to an Enfield woman has been successfully provided with spectacles to counteract failing eyesight. A picture of a mouse was used by the oculist to test the cat' eyes.

A Kansas man has struck a new way of getting a living. He has a flock of 50 turkeys, which, in consideration of all board for himself he moves from one farm to another, where they clean up the grasshoppers with which the farms of that section are infested.

In Vienna telephone booths, it is said, are furnished with napkins bearing the inscription, "Wipe, if you please." The napkins are changed frequently and this undoubtedly serves to keep the mouthpieces of the transmitters in good sanitary condition.

It is a curious fact, that despite the general knowledge of the deadly powers of high tension electric currents and their well known use for executing criminals there is no record of a deliberate suicide by electric shock.

J. J. Corbett, who at one time made such a striking impression in the prize ring, is going to become a Shakesperian actor. The dramatic papers announce that he is going to "do" Romeo. The chances are that Romeo will be done pretty badly in the first round.

Four more open air concerts are booked for North Billerica by the Talbot Mill band. It is hoped that the street car management will have a little consideration for its patrons on band concert nights and furnish proper car accommodations. No overcrowding.

"Some people think a person isn't working," said the wise one, "unless the form of labor involves coal shoveling or sawing wood or something of that kind, but it seems to me that the young woman typewriter does about as much for the money she receives as could be expected. This is something that one can prove by statistics. I have reckoned the thing up and as nearly as I can get at it the average typewriter carriage weighs about four pounds. An operator will lift this carriage five times a minute. This means that she lifts 20 pounds each minutes or 1200 pounds every hour. If she doesn't work but eight hours a day she will have lifted nearly five tons. Just think of a poor girl lifting that amount daily.

COMMUNICATIONS

TEAM RACING.

Editor Sun:—What was the fastest time made by John R. Gentry and Robert J., in team for a mile? I would also like to know where the race was held and the date.

OLD SPORT.

John R. Gentry and Robert J., in team, did a mile in 2.08, Oct. 8, 1897, at Glen Falls, N. Y.

WASHINGTON'S CABINET.

Editor Sun:—Could you please inform me how many members there were in Washington's first cabinet and who they were.

SUBSCRIBER.

Washington had four members in his cabinet, namely: Thomas Jefferson, secretary of state; Alexander Hamilton, secretary of the treasury; Henry Knox, secretary of war, and Edmund Randolph, attorney general. Samuel Osgood was postmaster general during Washington's first administration, but the postmaster general was not considered a cabinet officer until 1829.

PRESIDENT'S SALARY.

Editor Sun:—What is the salary of the president of the French republic?

READER.

The annual allowance to the president of the French republic is 600,000 francs, with a further allowance of 600,000 francs for his expenses. Six hundred thousand francs is equal to $115,800 in American money.

POPULATION OF SECTS.

Editor Sun:—What is the relative population of the United States of America religiously? I bet that all the other religions outnumber the Catholics 10 to 1. Taking all the religions that are not Catholic into consideration, please state in next issue and oblige.

D. F. TINLEY.

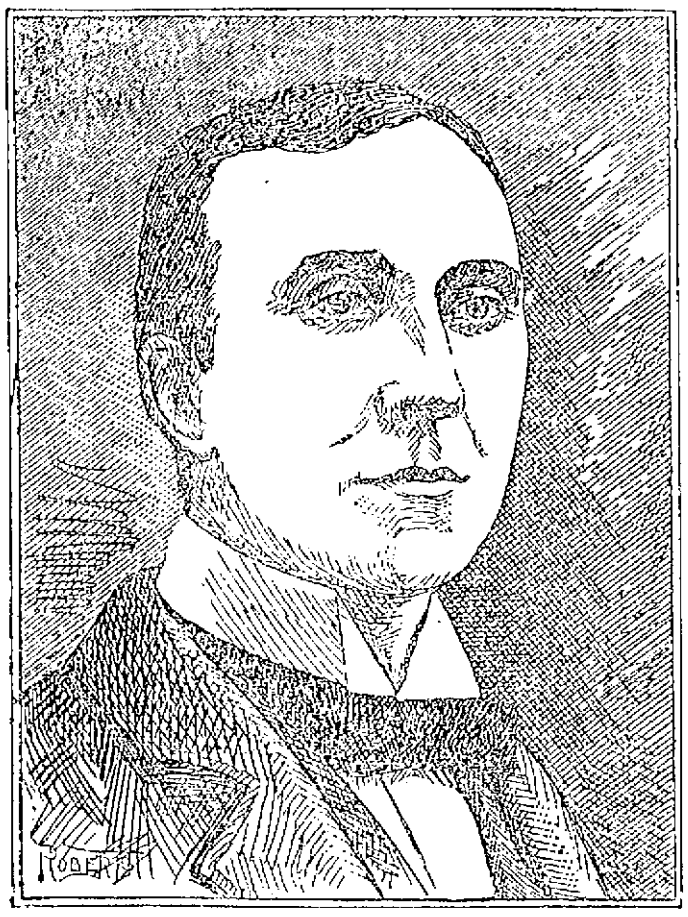
The total number of communicants of all denominations in the United States is 27,714,523. Of that number 5,257,178 are Catholics. This leaves 19,349,345 comprising all denominations other than the Catholic. You lose your bet.

TAKEN TO TEWKSBURY.

Ernest Hobden, who has been in the hands of the police since Tuesday, was taken to the state almshouse by Martin J. Courtney, secretary of overseers of poor. The police were unable to find his parents or home.

FOR CONGRESS

Knox Toasts His Successor and Fights Him



HON. JOSEPH J. FLYNN.
The Democratic Candidate for Congress in 5th District.

In 1898 Knox Said He Would Run No More—In 1900 He's Running Faster Than His Opponents—How Each Candidate Might Defeat the Other Two

Let the campaign proceed uninterrupted! Butler Ames has denied the report that he employes non-union labor in his faraway tobacco factory in Porto Rico, and consequently it is "all off" with Messrs. Knox and Pickman.

It was a master stroke on Butler's part to set the public mind at rest regarding the help in that tobacco factory, and get his friends well worry.

As the days go by and the real working days of the campaign approach, the increasing strength of William S. Knox in Lowell becomes more apparent, while the intentions of Judge Pickman become enshrouded in deeper mystery. The judge is still a candidate and his lieutenants are working, half heartedly and without system. It is true, for they have not received the proper encouragement. But ask any of them concerning Pickman's chances and you will be told that if Pickman will start now and work only half as hard as his opponents are working he will carry off the nomination.

Mr. Knox is losing no time in gaining strength that will get him delegates, his lieutenants, particularly Byron Truell of Lawrence, are also hustling untiringly. It doesn't take a great stretch of memory to go back to 1898 and recall a celebrated statement by Mr. Truell, who said: "I want Knox elected this time for it is the last time he will be a candidate for congress, and it is the last political fight in which I shall participate actively."

While recalling happenings in 1898, I recollect a little party at the Richardson house where wining and dining went on with Congressman Knox as the central figure and Ben. Fred Lawton of this city, then the recognized successor to Knox, in the party. Filling his glass with something better than Harvard, Congressman Knox arose and said: "I propose that we drink to the health of my successor, the next congressman from Lowell." All rose and drank while Judge Lawton sat with head modestly bowed. On another occasion in this city Congressman Knox filled another glass with something stronger than Harvard, and said: "To the health of my successor, our next congressman from Lowell."

All who heard Congressman Knox gave these toasts, and the temperance people need not throw up their hands in holy horror, for congressman will drink toasts, firmly believed that he would this year turn around and help a Lowell candidate and they were greatly surprised, to say the least, upon learning that Congressman Knox, despite his pretty sayings of two years ago, was about to seek another term. There is no question that he is seeking the office, he is several laps ahead of the Lowell candidates at this writing.

If I were running the campaign of Butler Ames, which happily, perhaps, I am not, I would give Congressman Knox, the Spanish-American war, until he was thoroughly sick of running against my heroes candidate. While Colonel Ames was leading the gallant Sixth in Porto Rico, with his eyes and thoughts upon the flag and a good site for a cigar factory, what was Knox doing for the poor half-fed soldiers who were following Ames to the front? "Nary" a thing!

What did he ever do for any of the soldiers? Nothing!

The only member in congress who did anything for the Massachusetts soldiers was one of the Massachusetts democrats in congress, Hon. John F. Fitzgerald of Boston, and any soldier will bear out that statement.

Congressman Fitzgerald worked day in and day out for the soldiers, but Congressman Knox, with the Sixth and Ninth regiments in his district never bothered his head about them.

It is said that Congressman Knox disregarded letters sent him asking him to assist the soldiers. But the other republicans from Massachusetts were as bad. It was in line with the administration's policy to feed the soldiers on putrid meat to help out a trust and the soldier who votes the republican ticket only invites a repetition of what he received, for the unfortunate soldier of the future.

If I were conducting Pickman's campaign I would put him on the stump and challenge each of the others to a joint debate on any old thing just to get them making speeches.

Were I in charge of the Knox campaign I'd pull A. G. Thompson off the Training school fight, place my affairs in his hands and take chances.

A DELIGHTFUL MUSICALE.

A delightful musicale was given at the home of Miss Henrietta Willey of Appleton street Thursday evening. Her voice of sympathetic quality was heard to advantage in Massangni's "Till Death I Love You," and "Ave Maria," and J. C. Bartlett's "Winona" and "A Dream." Mr. George A. Willey presided at the piano and Prof. D. Moyer Sudey of the Boston School of Expression, gave several choice readings.



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OVER ONE HUNDRED GREEKS ASSESSED

From Market Street Grocery Store

WHICH WOULD NOT ACCOMMODATE FIVE

Many Assessed in Two Cities

The recent disclosures regarding the assessment of 11 men from a bar-room on Union street has called public attention to the methods of the assessors and at first sight would seem to be a most unaccountable inaccuracy. But when one looks more carefully into the matter the blunder or whatever it was does not appear so tremendous.

In this case Assistant Assessor Riley, it is said, has explained that the list of names assessed from 19 Union street was given him and he supposed it to be correct. It is neither new nor unusual for the principal assessors to make out the assessments from lists furnished them by people supposed to be familiar with certain dwelling places. For instance, the keepers of boarding houses frequently gave the assessors lists of their boarders, the lists containing any where from 10 to 100 names.

But the discovery of 11 names assessed from a bar-room with a tenement over it on Union street is nothing compared to a state of affairs existing in the Greek quarter in Market street.

From a little grocery store not 20 feet square at the corner of Market and Lewis street the names of 113 Greeks are assessed. The entrance to the store is numbered 5½ Market street and the store even though it may be the custom of Greeks to sleep in their stores, could not accommodate one-twentieth part of the number who gave their residences there.

Last year 50 Greeks were assessed from the same little grocery store.

The Sun reporter saw Assistant-Assessor Garvey who covered the district and he said: "I did not bring in those names to the assessors. Last year Prof. Iatros was appointed to look after the Greeks in my district by the assessors. This year it seems Constable McManus gathered the names. When I went to the number given and found it to be a little grocery store, I immediately reported it to the principal assessors for I did not want to have irregularities in my district. Those Greeks certainly do not reside at 5½ Market street for there is no room for them in that place.

The principal assessors informed The Sun reporter that Constable McManus had been regularly appointed to do assessorial work in the Greek colony and had furnished the list of names to which the reporter referred. They knew nothing further about the matter.

Irregularities of this kind are frequent in cities like Lowell with a large migratory population. Mill employes move to different sections of the city as they change their working places and as a result are often assessed from two residences, giving the assessors considerable work and sometimes creating considerable trouble for the one assessed.

Some time ago a certain employe of City Hall held a position as the representative of a certain ward while his wife and family resided in another ward. The office holder living and maintaining a furnished room in the ward in which he was assessed and registered. An attempt was made to remove him from office on the ground that he did not reside in the ward in which he was registered. He was not removed, however, because the authority sought stated that a man did not necessarily have to live with or vote from the house occupied by his wife and family.

Another instance of frequent occurence where men have trouble over assessments and registration is in the case of one whose home is in another city but whose work is in Lowell. He is on the voting list in his own city and after being here the required length of time is assessed in this city. If he attempts to vote in one city while paying a poll tax in another he will come to grief if discovered and such discoveries are inevitable. A man must be assessed and registered in one city; he cannot "split".

At the present time the assessors are busy determining how much each taxpayer owes the city under the new rate. The big taxpayers will find a welcome reduction in their bills this year though not as great as should be.

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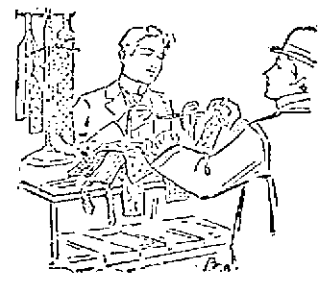
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All of the choicest SUMMER NECKWEAR, imperials, four-in-hands and bat-wings, Evans' imported rumchundas included, to close for 39c

A DOZEN LOTS of very attractive fancy half hose that sold for thirty-five and forty-eight cents, have been marked down to fill the stock, at 23c

TWO HUNDRED DOZENS of the men's four-ply collars, all that we can muster from the great stock put on sale two weeks ago. All sizes in some style or other, and shapes to choose from.

Collars for 7c each; 1-2 doz. 38c. Cuffs, for a pair, 10c; 1-2 doz. pairs, 55c

A SUIT CASE to hold your traps? Good sorts here. "Alligator"—that is, look like alligator, made from sole leather, $5.95. Real Sole leather, linen lined, straps or brass catches, steal frames, good enough to stand ten years of hanging $4.75

Another "Alligator" case, isn't leather but you wouldn't know it if we didn't tell you $3.95

Cases that look like leather, but aren't; strong waterproof, and finished with brass catches and brass lock $1.95

There are 20 dozens only of the 19c balbriggan underwear. We got it two weeks ago, but the price has moved it, and today will probably clear it out. There's every size, including stout drawers for short men, in our special balbriggan at 48c



We've yet to find underwear sold for seventy-five cents that is as good as this.

From Yesterday's Late Editions.

RELIEF SHIP

After Peary Expedition Sighted Off Labrador

By Associated Press to The Sun.

GLOUCESTER, Mass., Aug. 17.—Captain James Hayes, of the Gloucester fishing schooner Admiral Dewey, which arrived here today, reports that on August 2, when in latitude 55.10, longitude 51.36, about 160 miles southeast of Cape Harrison, Labrador coast, sighted the Peary relief ship Windward. The Windward was sailing in a northerly direction, bound for Baffin's Island. The captain of the Windward signalled "All's well." The Admiral Dewey was on a halibut fishing trip, and they went farther northward than any vessel from this port engaged in the same fisheries.

BOLD ATTEMPT

To Burn and Pillage a Village

By Associated Press to The Sun.

SMITHFIELD, R. I., Aug. 17.—A deliberate attempt was made at midnight to burn and pillage this village. Only the combined efforts of the 1000 inhabitants saved the place from destruction. The fire was discovered in the Robertson grocery. It spread rapidly. There is no fire department here and before the bucket brigades formed could check the flames, 13 business houses in the centre of the town had been destroyed, together with their contents. As they were all frame buildings, the losses will not exceed $75,000. Fully insured.

In several houses near the scene of the fire the incendiaries were discovered trying to gather up valuables left by the citizens in the excitement attending the fire. They were driven out half a dozen houses and finally escaped from town in a carriage before the inhabitants realized that an attempt at wholesale looting had been made.

LOST HIS LIFE

Ed. Grace Perished in a Fire

By Associated Press to The Sun.

CHICAGO, Aug. 17.—Edward Grace lost his life and three were injured in a fire which destroyed the building occupied by the Independent Paper Stock company. Loss, $25,000. The dead man was asleep in the building.

FANNIE APPEALED

The Girl Who Defrauded Hotels Sentenced

SHE DID NOT LIKE SHERBURNE

Was Held for the Superior Court

By Associated Press to The Sun.

BOSTON, Aug. 17.—Before Judge Brown in the municipal criminal court today, Fannie E. McPherson, of Worcester, charged with defrauding the Hotel Essex and several business houses, was sentenced to one year in the woman's prison at Sherburne. She appealed and was held in $500 for September term of Superior court.

CENSUS OF LOWELL.

A wager was made in Lowell yesterday that the census return will show a population of 92,000 for Lowell. On the basis of 3 1-2 persons to every poll reported to the principal assessors, the population will be 87,000. This is a disappointment to applicants for addition liquor licenses.—Boston Globe.

Lowell prohibitionists will invite their presidential candidate, John G. Woolley, to visit Lowell.

Heavy rain caused a large amount of earth to fall from the hillside on First street tracks yesterday, delaying Lawrence and Haverhill cars.

IN NEED OF REPAIR.

The bicycle path on the east side of Bridge street between the canal and the river bridges, is badly in need of repair. A heavy truck must have gone over it during one of the hot days of last week, for there is a rut in the concrete about five inches wide and in some places a couple of inches in depth.

LOCAL BICYCLE RIDER

ATTENDING FOUR RACE MEETS TODAY AND TOMORROW.

A number of local bicycle riders have entered in many races for today and tomorrow. Claude Hamilton is riding at Concord, N. H., this afternoon, Athol, Mass., this evening, Gardner, Mass., tomorrow afternoon, and Charles River Park, Cambridge, tomorrow evening. George Casey will ride in the four above tracks, too.

McIntosh, Hoyle, O'Brien and Delphond are entered to ride at Concord N. H., this afternoon. Patrick Keegan will ride at Charles River Park tomorrow night.

SOCIETY PEOPLE

Principals in a Clandestine Marriage

By Associated Press to The Sun.

WATERTOWN, N. Y., Aug. 17.—A special from Alexandria Bay, says:

The clandestine marriage of Mr. L. E. Rumsey, a commercial traveler of St. Louis, Mo., and Miss May Hasbrouck, daughter of Louis Hasbrouck, of New York city, has just been made public. Both are prominent in society. They were married by a justice of the peace.

TWO MORE CASES

Of Diphtheria Reported This Afternoon

Two more cases of diphtheria have been reported this afternoon at the health department. They are Joseph Kelley, aged 3, residing in the rear of 311 Lakeview avenue, and Stella Martell, aged 8, at 35 Middlesex Park. Diphtheria is now more alarming than the smallpox.

ON THEIR WAY TO SAN FRANCISCO.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

SAN FRANSCISCO, Cal., Aug. 16.—News has been received at the Presidio that the transport Thomas which left Nagasaki, August 10, will bring 226 sick and four insane soldiers from the Philippines.

Final Price-Cutting in Women's

Shirt Waists

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Here's the way we do things—Not by Halves.

25 Cents

For Ladies' Percale Shirt Waists, former price 50c.

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For Rainy Day Shirts, made of imported Scotch double faced material, hemmed and finished with several rows of stitching on bottom; sold elsewhere for $4.98.

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Central and Middle Sts.

MANGLED BODY

Of a Man Found in Freight Yard

HEAD CRUSHED BEYOND RECOGNITION

Man Was Probably Stealing a Ride

By Associated Press to The Sun.

SOUTH FRAMINGHAM, Aug. 17.—The body of a man terribly mangled was found in the freight yard here early this morning. Both legs, arms and feet had been cut off, and the head was crushed beond recognition. In the hat, which had been knocked off, was found a card bearing the name of "John Healy, care of James Ellis, corner of B street, South Boston." The man was poorly dressed and had evidently been stealing a ride.

BOTH DROWNED

Two Young Ladies Were in Bathing

ONE OF THE VICTIMS WAS DROWNING

And Grabbed Her Sister by the Throat

By Associated Press to The Sun.

NEW YORK, Aug. 17.—The particulars of the drowning of the Misses Eugenia and Virginia Brandeth in Wales are contained in a London cable printed here today. The young ladies were daughters of Henry Brandeth, European manager of the Allcock Mfg. company and granddaughters of the late Benjamin Brandeth of Sing Sing, N. Y.

A family party consisting of the Eugenie and Virginia, two younger brothers and a sister, went swimming Wednesday in the river which flows through the grounds of Mr. Brandeth's Welsh home. Miss Eugenie, who was 27 years old, got into difficulty in a deep hole and her elder sister went to her assistance.

For several minutes they struggled together in silence when suddenly the dying Virginia got a grip on her sister's throat. Eugenia had just time to call for assistance when they went down for the first time. The younger sisters horrified by the unexpected turn of affairs, screamed for help. A gardener heard them and came running to the river. Other help soon arrived and the unconscious young women were got to shore. Miss Virginia died immediately. The eldest lived fully two hours but never regained consciousness.

The bodies will be brought back to Holyoke, in Cheshire, for burial.

FOR BRYAN

NEW YORK WILL GO SO SAYS A LOWELL BUSINESS MAN.

Mr. Peter Watson, Sr., and son Henry, the well-known Charles street bakers, have returned from a protracted stay at Sheron Springs, N. Y. The former for several years past has made visits to this famous summer resort. During his stay the elder Mr. Watson felt the pulse of many prominent politicians of Gotham and found that the current was strongly toward Bryan carrying the coming presidential election. Many of the men interviewed by Mr. Watson were independent republicans.

What Shall We Have for Dessert?

This question arises in the family every day. Let us answer it today. Try Jell-O, a delicious and healthful dessert. Prepared in two minutes. No boiling! no baking! simply add boiling water and set to cool. Flavors: Lemon, Orange, Raspberry and Strawberry. Get a package at your grocer's today. 15 cents.

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Aching legs and aching arms, and all other kinds of aches need only one thing, and that is a thoroughly good rubbing with Omega Oil. A big ache needs more oil and more rubbing than a little ache; but, whether big or little, the pain will disappear when Omega Oil gets a chance at it.

In using Omega Oil, always rub toward the heart. 726

BRYAN AT HOME

Warmly Greeted by His Townspeople

By Associated Press to The Sun.

LINCOLN, Neb., Aug. 17.—Lincoln tendered a handsome welcome to Mr. Bryan yesterday upon his return to his home here after an absence of ten days.

He was met at the depot by a large concourse of people, who escorted him to his residence, and who, after listening to a speech there and shaking hands with both Mr. and Mrs. Bryan, only dispersed to meet in the evening, with many others, at a reception given in the state capitol grounds, which partook of the nature of an official function.

When they alighted from the train, Mr. and Mrs. Bryan were met by a local committee, who escorted them to carriages. There were speeches of welcome for both husband and wife.

In reply, Mr. Bryan spoke at some length on national issues. He said:

"I believe that the fight in which we are engaged is one that concerns every citizen in this broad land. I believe it concerns the people of all the world. I believe that here we are trying an experiment, and that experiment, if successful will be a blessing to the human race everywhere."

Mr. Bryan then explained the reasons of his party for an apparent change of issues, saying:

"Parties do not make issues, parties meet issues. You will remember that in the campaign of 1896, the dominant question was the tariff question. Before 1872 the silver question began to rise into prominence and in the campaign of 1872 we discussed both the tariff question and the silver question, but the silver question more than the tariff question.

"By 1876 the silver question had so risen in importance that it became the main question of discussion in this state. The republicans carried this state and had two thirds of the legislature, but the silver question went on increasing in importance until in 1894 we had the fight in the nation upon the same lines.

"After two years of consideration the people of Nebraska had so changed their minds that we carried the state by 24,000 majority.

"If we had had our way about it, we would have in this campaign at this time the same questions we had in 1896, but events have thrust into the arena of politics the trust question. It is the fault of the republican party that the trust question is of more importance now than it was four years ago.

"But the republican party has brought into this campaign a new question, more important than all others. It attacks the fundamental principles upon which our government rests.

"Our contention is that our government is built on the doctrine that all men are created equal. Destroy that doctrine and there is no foundation upon which a free government can be built. If all men are created equal, if they are endowed with inalienable rights, if governments are instituted among men and derive their just powers from the consent of the governed, then this nation has no more right as a nation, to claim the ownership of 8,000,000 Filipinos than one man has a right to claim the ownership of another man.

"The republican party which was not willing that a black man should be sold for $500, now claims that a Filipino can be bought for $2.50. The principal is exactly the same."

In recognition, Mr. Bryan advised his hearers to vote in November as their conscience should dictate.

"I cannot," he said, "feel unkindly toward those republicans who think so much of me that they would keep me in Lincoln all the time, (laughter), but I can feel even more kindly of you who will give me leave of absence for four years and let me carry out your will at the national capital." (Great applause and cheering.)

TIMBER FIRES

Burned Over 50 Miles of Country

By Associated Press to The Sun.

DELNORTE, COL., AUG. 17.—HEAVY TIMBER FIRES ARE RAGING SOUTH AND WEST OF DELNORTE, FROM THE HEAD OF THE SOUTH FORK OF THE RIO GRANDE TO THE HEAD OF THE CONEJOS RIVER THE DAMAGE IS THE GREATEST IN THE HISTORY OF THE COUNTRY. THERE IS ALMOST CONCLUSIVE EVIDENCE THAT THE FIRES ARE INCENDIARY. NO RAIN IS FALLING AND THE FIRE HAS UNLIMITED SWAY ACROSS NEARLY FIFTY MILES OF COUNTRY.

BOXING GOSSIP

Patsey Haley, the former Lowell featherweight, now summering at Newmarket, N. H., writes to a Boston paper that he would like to make a match with any 129 or 122 pound man in New England and that he would prefer Billy Gardner of this city. It is very probable that Gardner will accept the offer if some club will do the rest. At the present time Gardner is undergoing an uncalled-for "knocking" from a Boston sporting writer, as the result of ill-feeling between this writer and Gardner's manager, Tom Maguire. There is a possibility that this "knocking" may injure Gardner with the different boxing clubs to the extent of preventing him from getting a match, though his friends hope not. Billy shouldn't have to suffer for the enmities made by his manager. Gardner and Haley, should they come together, would make one of the prettiest bouts seen in this vicinity in a long time.

There are few cleverer featherweights than little Haley, who has met the best men in the country with varying success, and all know that Gardner is fast coming to the front of his class. It would make a good attraction for the Kirtland Club of Lynn and would draw a big attendance from Lowell.

KILLED HIMSELF.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

SPRINGFIELD, Aug. 17.—Horace L. Niles, one of the oldest provision dealers of this city, accidentally shot and killed himself this morning while cleaning a shot gun. He received a full charge of shot in his abdomen and death was almost instantaneous. Mr. Niles was 5 years old and has been in business over 40 years.

FREE!

A $12.55 Drawing Outfit

will be given to each person who enrolls with the I. C. S., Scranton, Pa., before September 1st in the Mechanical and Architectural Courses. This offer has proven itself to be just what the people want, by the way the students came in during July. If you miss the first chance, don't miss the last. Write for free circular or call and see what our students are doing; Or in Lowell Division. Outfit can be seen in window of Electric Light company during the month.

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A CENT A WORD for three days is the cost of SUN WANTS.

KILLED HIMSELF

THAT HIS WIFE MIGHT GET INSURANCE.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

CHICAGO, Aug. 17.—Charles A. Mielenz died by his own hand some time on Wednesday on the Prairie near Foster and Southport avenues, in order that his wife might receive the benefit of $2000 insurance which he carried in two German lodges. Mrs. Mielenz learned from the police last night that her husbands' body had been found. She has four boys, none of them 10 years old.

Mr. Mielenz conducted a wall paper and painting business and it was not prosperous. He left home on Tuesday morning.

On Wednesday afternoon Mrs. Mielenz received a letter from her husband mailed from a suburb and written partly in German and partly in English, in which he said:

"It is the best you can do to let me go, so everybody can get what they have coming. I feel sorry for my children. You will get enough of money from my lodges to put $1000 in the business and hold the balance for yourself and my dear children. It is hard to part, but I don't see any other way."

—CANDY—

ESCULETTS

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GEO. HALSTEAD, LEADER OF TALBOTT MILLS BAND.

TALBOT MILL BAND

Gave Enjoyable Concert at No. Billerica

North Billerica was the mecca last evening of a large throng of music-loving people from Lowell and the surrounding towns. It was the occasion of the sixth in a series of ten open air concerts to be given by the popular Talbot mill band. Notwithstanding that the weather was rather cool the ardor of the crowd was not dampened in the least for the majority of the fair sex came well provided with their wraps and the light overcoats of the sterner sex were also very much in evidence. On either side of the common were lined up all sorts of conveyance. The lawn in front of the post office seemed to be the favorite spot for the large gathering while many occupied seats on the veranda of Uncle Sam's headquarters. A number of the residences were thrown open to visitors and seats were provided for their comfort. The program was a carefully selected one. Leader Halstead and his clever band of musicians were warmly applauded for their efforts to please. The only unpleasant feature of the evening was the poor car accommodations. The car which left the square about 7.30 o'clock made innumerable stops before reaching North Billerica. On reaching the village the conductor showed that 121 fares had been rung in.

The concert was otherwise enjoyed and the band made many hits as usual.

SWINDLING SCHEME

BOLD ATTEMPT TO GET $2,000.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

LEOMINSTER, Aug. 17.—The Leominster National bank received a cablegram yesterday from Paris, ostensibly from Alexander S. Paton, who is visiting the Paris exposition, asking that $2000 be immediately forwarded to him. The bank became suspicious and communicated with H. W. Doyle, the local treasurer of the Paton Manufacturing company and he in turn cabled Mr. Paton in Paris, and this morning received the reply that no money had been sent for by Mr. Paton. Mr. Doyle left this morning for New York to consult authorities in regard to the matter, with the view of arresting the perpetrators of the scheme to swindle.

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Heart palpitation, belching, fourness, biliousness, nervousness, bloating, constipation, sleeplessness, heartburn, and headache come from a weak stomach. Hostetter's Stomach Bitters will strengthen yours, and thus prevent these ailments. It is a valuable remedy for all stomach troubles, and has been used successfully for the past fifty years. It never fails. Our PRIVATE REVENUE STAMP covers the neck of the bottle.

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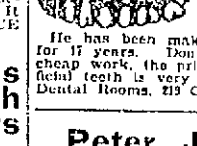
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If You Want Anything

advertise in The Sun wants Everybody reads them.



TEETH

If you think of having a new set made, see Dr. Simmons.

He has been making teeth in Lowell for 17 years. Don't waste money on cheap work, the price for the best artificial teeth is very low. Call at Lowell Dental Rooms, 219 Central street.

Peter J. Brady,

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Choice Teas, Coffees and Spices

Try our new brands of Flour, the best in the city, "The King Arthur," "Crown of Gold," and "Banquet."

WHEN YOU WANT

to get a glass of SODA call at Carter & Sherburne's Drug Store. They give the largest glass and coolest Soda, made of Pure Fruit Flavors.

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We Really Need the Room.

Nothing less urgent could persuade us to close out some of the fine and seasonable lines that we are now offering at prices that are simply unparalleled for the class of goods offered. These bargains are not confined to any one line. We have them for men, women, youths, misses and children. Come and look the goods over. See the prices, they tell the whole story.

BURBANK & COURTNEY, 110 and 112 Merrimack Street.

TELEPHONE 536-13.



These pretty gowns are designed for young girls of eighteen. They are made of the new light-weight cloths and are in the pale shades. The first one is of the new shade of blue, called "tendre," with a ruffled front panel of the same. The bodice is carried out in the same style as the skirt. The second gown shows a pale tan cashmere trimmed with inexpensive Venetian lace; the third is of light red, trimmed with narrow bands of black velvet ribbon.

PRETTY GOWNS FOR GROWING GIRLS.

For the First Time in Her History the French Maiden Is Wearing Fashionable Dresses.

STYLES FOR NEW BODICES.

Trouville, August 9. The French girl is emerging from the severely prosaic condition in which her mother has always kept her into one that is more agreeable for the girl and certainly more attractive to the outside world.

It is a wonder that the French girl has ever married. Kept in the nursery and the schoolroom, denied the pleasures of the world, seldom or never visiting the theatre or opera, going nowhere and seeing no one, she has grown up a big-eyed innocent creature, as unlike the American girl as it is possible to picture her.

After her marriage, which was always arranged by her parents, the shrinking French girl emerges into the society woman, no longer timid, nor retiring, but with her whole life, bent, apparently, in making up for the time she lost in her girlhood.

The Misses Van Alen, daughters of J. J. Van Alen, the wealthy American who was appointed to the Court of Italy by President Cleveland, but who resigned from diplomatic reasons, were educated in France, after their mother's death, which occurred when they were tiny children. To their horror they were allowed no pleasures beyond a few most simple ones, such as were given to a child of four; and when they sought to gain the intellectual freedom of grown women they were restrained. So, with Miss Pauline Astor, but, in both cases, the fathers of the girls rescued them and gave them such freedom as is allowed in America.

The French girl is being seen now, as never in her life before. At Trouville the other day the writer counted half a dozen young women of eighteen walking upon the plazza of one of the hotels. They were well dressed in all the pretty little belongings that seem a part of girlhood. By their side trotted a pink flannel young man bent upon pleasing them. They were French summer girls types that were strangers to France before this year.

A French girl who formerly wore "any old thing" is now very modishly attired in fine little gowns that are designed for her and built specially to fit her figure.

In response to the demand for gowns for growing girls one of the tradesmen upon the Rue de la Paix advertises designs for half grown girls, and very becoming they are, with their broad waisted effects and their skirts that are made to escape the ground.

So very pretty are some of these gowns that you see young women who have been out several seasons copying them and dressing like the girl of sixteen, even to the wearing of the hair in a big loose coil at the very nape of the neck, where a big ribbon bow secures it.

A model sketched at Trouville was in blue albatross, with the skirt laid in box plaits all the way around, except right in the middle of the front where it was plain. The waist was made with a shirred front and plain back. Such delightful sleeves were made with the bell shape elbow flaring well; and inside this bell there were worn Bishop sleeves gathered around the hand in a little tight cuff tied with ribbons.

The bodice had a girdle of corn colored satin ribbon fully five inches deep, brought around the waist very smoothly and hooked at the side, under the arm. Beautiful little pins of yellow topaz were used to secure the belt fastening at the side and were placed at intervals around the girdle.

BLUE AND YELLOW.

The stock was of the same smooth piece of yellow satin and a yellow satin ribbon tied the hair. Upon the front of the waist was a big handsome bow of the yellow satin, thus finishing the waist very prettily.

Of course the tiny bolero must always be in evidence and a small bolero of Irish point was slipped on over this waist. As though there could be any warmth in a tiny little garment like this, the bolero was lined with satin to be taken off when the sun shone brightly.

The bell-shaped sleeve will be the sleeve of full for young and old. While many sleeves are falsely called the bell the true bell-shaped sleeve is the one that is very tight to the wrist, but below the wrist it flares into a bell. The bell sleeve is worn very long and also very short, the latter being only to the elbow, where it has a big bell just above the point where the arm bends. Below the bell there is the Bishop sleeve in lace extending to the wrist.

There are many styles worn by the young and those of more mature mould. One of these is the sleeve just described. Another is the draped tunic which is composed of gathers brought from the bust line. At the waist there is a broad belt or girdle, and, below the belt, the tunic falls in gathers again, to a point nearly to the foot of the skirt. Underneath there is a skirt trimmed with a very deep flounce.

A very charming end is sometimes used for finishing the neck and also for finishing the trimming of the skirt. It consists of a piece of goods so cut that, when folded and fastened, it will fall in little plaits, as a side trimming.

A brilliant little soft felt hat will be worn with this suit. The color of the hat is Jack rose, exactly to match the lining of the skirt. A broad Jack silk tie will be knotted at the throat.

The bolero is becoming more and more eccentric. One of the newest boleros is extremely short in the back and on the sides and very long in front, where the tabs reach the belt and are finished with two tiny buttons.

The tunic also grows in eccentricity. One of the newest shapes shows a very much elongated front which rounds away at the sides and is short in the back. This style of tunic is much affected by the woman who desires something tailor-made yet novel; severe yet becoming.

A gown of this description is among the last of the summer dresses that will be made up this season. It is of light green cloth with tucked waist and skirt. A very short bolero of the plain cloth is worn over the waist the tabs being elongated and reaching to the waist line. The tunic is also long in front and touches the ground while the sides and back are very short.

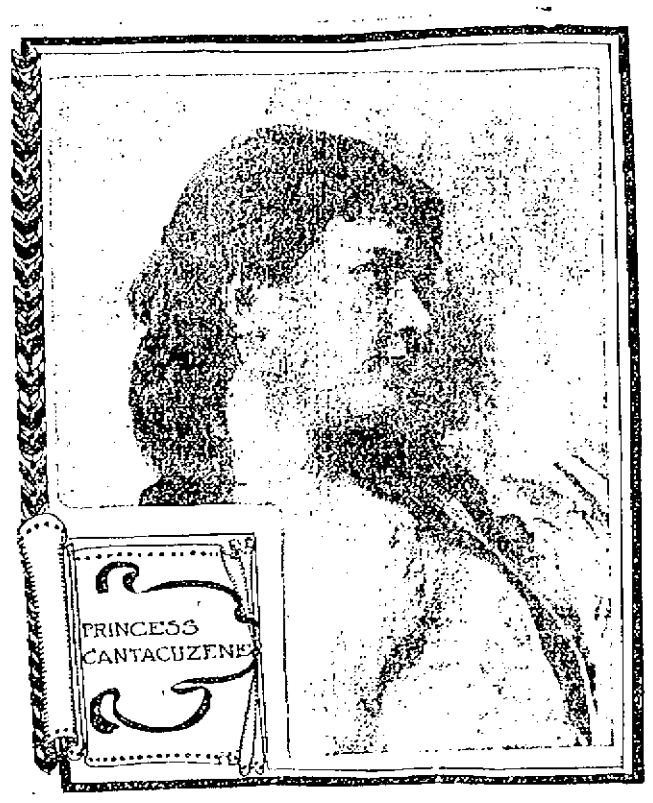
Early autumn street gowns will be made in very light shades of cloth, the prettiest and most delicate of these being ice color which is nearly white, with shades of pink and blue showing through it. The weaving of such a piece of cloth is a work of art as the threads are woven through the goods in such a way as to show blue from one direction and pink from the other. Ice color will be among the most fashionable of the fall shades.

BRILLIANT LININGS.

There is a vogue for brilliant linings. A gown, recently made for an American woman to wear at Newport this September, is of ice cloth cool, shimmering and beautiful. The skirt, which is very short, being little more than ankle length is lined with Jack rose taffeta. The coat is an Eton with white silk revers, the whole of ice cloth lined with the Jack rose taffeta. Revers of the silk turn over at the throat. The blouse to be worn with the Eton is a pale blue gingham the plaids showing a thread of red.



This little gown for a girl under twenty is made of checked goods, the skirt and waist being box-plaited. Broad bands of black taffeta trim the skirt, and the yoke is composed of the taffeta.



Since the birth of her baby a month ago the Cantacuzene family have been more than ever in love with their American daughter-in-law. In a private letter a friend of the Princess says: "If anything could have been needed to cement the tie between the Princess and her Russian relatives this event has filled the gap." From the first the Cantacuzenes were fascinated with the American girl, a feeling which reaches to the palace of the Czar.

AN IDEA FOR A HANDSOME HOUSE BODICE.



A very attractive bodice is made of aluminum gray taffeta with clusters of tucks placed widely apart. A band of lace over silk outlines the yoke and vest and a trimming of lace finishes the sleeves. The skirt is of figured material showing lines in many gay colors.

PERFUMES LOVED BY FAIR QUEENS.

Wilhelmina of the Netherlands Almost Bathes in Cologne and Other Crowned Heads Have Their Fads.

By Annette Rierdon Reed.

Amsterdam, Holland.—It was at Scheveningen, a little coast spot that has been dubbed "the Coney Island of Holland" that I first saw Holland's Queen. She had driven down from The Palace of the Woods, that pretty place where the Peace Commissioners met, and was doing a bit of shopping, only a tiny bit for they do not display a great many wares at Scheveningen.

The young Queen, who was, on this occasion, accompanied by her mother, stopped at a little bazaar and there purchased a bottle of cologne. It might have been a rare bit of sweet extract for it was in a small bottle and was delicately labelled. The little vial caught the young Queen's eye and she alighted from the carriage and left the cream-colored horses pawing the ground.

This is not the first time the Queen of Holland has gone shopping for sweet scents. She is extravagantly fond of perfumes and buys them by the wholesale. She purchases eau de cologne by the gallon and is probably the largest individual consumer of the perfume. She scents her fair skin with it night and morning. No French woman ever had a greater liking for perfumery than she. Her maids have their hands lightly dipped in orris water so that their presence is pleasant.

Wilhelmina of the Netherlands uses an entire champagne bottle of this aromatic essence of cologne every morning, and so intent is the little majesty on getting her fill of her favorite toilette vinegar that she has the bottle opened in her very presence, sniffs it, assures herself of its high quality by a test over a lamp and then pours the contents into the bath with her own hand. Of course, this is not the regulation tub, but a large marble affair, built into the floor and reached by five steps, so that the room beneath is only half a story high.

Her Majesty remains seven minutes in the bath, using a certain soap, little scented. Then she draws a waterproof cap over her hair and steps under a "shower," where the finest bay rum takes the place of water. After that she is rubbed down by her old, round and big-armed nurse.



Here you see an exceedingly smart tailor-made waist of satin cloth. Narrow bands of black silk braid are put on diagonally. The double-breasted front is fastened with smoked pearl buttons. A very long chain is looped twice around the neck.

Wilhelmina has a beautiful, yet delicate complexion, which she believes will take care of itself if regularly treated as set forth and then left to its own normal course. Preparatory to dinner, theatre, reception or balls she uses a Turkish towel and plenty of warm water on her face and neck, soap for the hands only, day and evening.

Up to the conclusion of the peace of Paris, which settled the latest unpleasantness between Spain and the United States, the ladies of the Peninsular court, and Her Majesty Queen Christina in particular, used ylang-ylang to give their clothes and handkerchiefs a sweet odor. Indeed, they thought it their patriotic duty to do so, for ylang-ylang is one of the products of the Philippines. When, however, the Islands were ceded to Uncle Sam, the fashionable perfume, so long regarded as the pink of perfection, lost its charms, and a substitute of a Madrid maker called Water of Spain, was ostentatiously adopted, Christina authorizing the dealers to use her name in pushing the sale.

Queen Victoria still clings to patchouli, which perfume became the fashion when India shawls were first introduced. She scents her linen with lavender, also an old-timer in England, but the face powder man and concoctor of toilet vinegars and cosmetics who depended upon the custom of the Queen, her daughters and granddaughters would have to close up shop, for no matter how many firms claim royal patronage for scented wares and beautifiers, the great ladies mentioned wear their own complexion.

Albert Edward, on the other hand, is credited with giving every new perfume that comes up a trial, because he likes to be in the fashion and because the smell of tobacco and the stable, when it clings to his person, is offensive to him.

The young Empress of Russia, beautiful as she is and with new riches thrust upon her, delights in the luxuries of the toilet table, for which she spends 100,000 francs per year with a single Paris perfumery firm alone.

The German Empress gives a certain spermaceti soap credit for keeping her shoulders so marvellously white. The brand favored by her has a delicious, refreshing odor, relaxes the muscles of the skin, and, at the same time, acts as a tonic



Queen Helene of Italy is a dashing brunette with wonderful eyes. She is nearly six feet tall and is a superb horsewoman. She is very popular with her subjects, and was sincerely mourned when she removed her home from Naples to Rome.

Peppermint being so cheap that nobody would think of adulterating it, Her Majesty uses a tincture of that herb for a mouth wash. Now-mown hay is her favorite pocket handkerchief perfume, and the atmosphere of her room is sweetened by eau de cologne atomizations at frequent intervals. The Empress uses powder freely, and it seems hard that her husband won't allow her to dye her hair, which is strangely gray for a woman of her age, forty-three, but then William must meddle with everything.

Another royal woman gray and wrinkled despite the promises of complexionists, is Carmen Sylva, the Queen poetess of Roumania.

Her Majesty is free to say that she tried every known wrinkle destroyer and hair dye. When everything failed she let nature have its course and certainly doesn't rue it. She is to-day, a fine, matronly woman and rejoices in a surprisingly clear and fresh skin, thanks to an extract made from certain herbs found in Roumanian forests. The Queen, having a knowledge of chemistry, concocts this extract herself.

The dainty Crown Princess of Roumania who, as a girl, was known as "little Mary of Edinburgh" and whose beautiful children are the admiration of royal relatives, uses rose water for her complexion, alternating, from week to week, with a vegetable tonic. On her handkerchiefs she puts jasmine, because few chemists have as yet learned to imitate that odor. Her linen chests are lined with chamois, perfumed with white heliotrope, an idea that hardly needs recommendation.

The Queen of Italy is certainly one of the best preserved women of fifty now before the public, though her life cannot be called an untroubled one and though she is perpetually haunted by fears that King Victor will be assassinated.

To keep the pores clean and the skin well nourished Her Majesty uses a cream made of the flowers of the Campagna, the great swamp region in the neighborhood of Rome. Arabian water serves as a special tonic for the royal cuticle when the Queen goes hunting or mountain climbing. Her soap is of Italian make. On her handkerchief she uses nothing but cologne.

About Tacks.

The best tacks are made of imported Swedish iron; the next grade of American soft steel, and the cheapest of common American iron. Tacks are also made of copper. Some tacks are tinned, and for ship use tacks are galvanized. Tacks are made of sizes ranging from half-ounce to 24-ounce. The tack commonly used as a carpet tack is an 8-ounce tack. A 24-ounce tack is about 1 1-8 inches in length.



The yachting gowns of fall are all in the new shades of green. This becoming dress has a skirt of bright green, laid in little tucks, half way down, below which it flares around the foot. The tunic is an eccentric one, very long in front and short in the back and upon the sides. Tunic and bolero are in a deeper shade of green. The vest, the bow at the neck and the hat scarf are all in a very light green with dark chenille dots of the green.



VERY REV. FR. LEFEBVRE, O. M. I.

There will be a general retreat at the Tewksbury novitiate for all of the Oblate Fathers in this part of the country, occupying the first five days of next week. Rev. William D. Joyce, O. M. I., pastor of the Immaculate Conception church and Rev. John P. Reynolds, O. M. I., pastor of the Sacred Heart church, will attend the retreat which will be preached by the Very Reverend Joseph Lefebre, O. M. I., provincial of the Order of Mary Immaculate of the United States. During the retreat Rev. Fr. Lawrence, O. M. I., will act as pastor of the Immaculate Conception church, and Rev. Thomas Murphy, O. M. I., will perform like duty at the church of the Sacred Heart.

ADVANCE IN COAL

Retail Dealers May Put up Price

AS WHOLESALE PRICES ARE HIGHER

Reasons Assigned for the Rise

It is rumored about that after the first of September or October 1st at the latest the retail price of coal will go up 25 cents per ton and as a result the coal business is rushing at present the wise one getting in their winter supplies before the rise comes.

Last winter coal sold for $6.75 per ton. May 1 the price dropped to $6.25, where it has remained ever since. The retailers are at the mercy of the wholesalers and instead of dropping to summer prices, the wholesalers on July 1 jumped up 25 cents per ton.

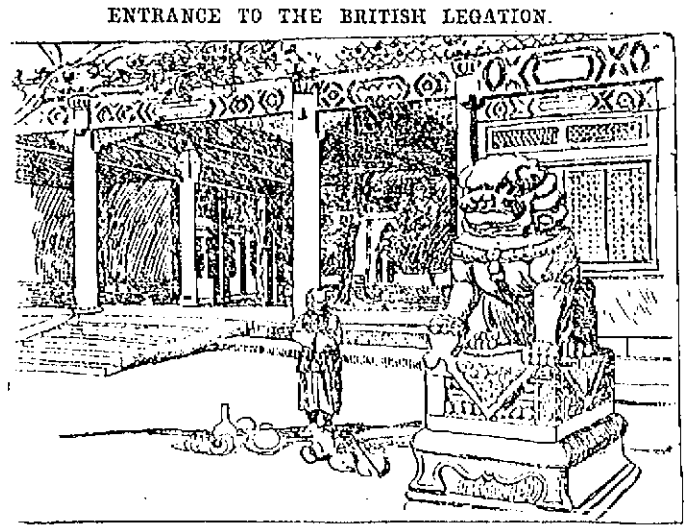
The retail men did not make a corresponding advance in price, but stood the shrinkage in their profits. They claim that the net profit on coal is very small, and that they cannot afford to stand another 25 cent raise without advancing the price.

One of our local dealers thinks it quite possible that the wholesale trade will advance the price not more than 10 or 15 cents, in which case the retailers will be able to pull through by merely making an advance of 25 cents, to their customers, to cover the 25 cents advance made by the wholesalers July 1. The figures quoted apply to stove coal, but the same is true, proportionately of furnace and soft coal.

The best grades of manufacturing coal advanced three weeks ago, in the wholesale market, 25 cents a ton.

The war and scarcity of labor owing to strikes at the mines are held responsible for the high prices.

ENTRANCE TO THE BRITISH LEGATION.



The largest of the foreign legations, where the ministers accredited to the court of Peking resided, was that of Great Britain, which also occupied the most commanding situation and is reported to have afforded a temporary refuge to the unfortunate foreigners who at the latest uprising were caught within the walls.

INFORMAL DANCE

BY COTTAGERS AT WILLOW DALE LAST EVENING.

The cottagers about Lake Massapoag held an informal dance last evening at Willow Dale. Mr. W. E. Savage had spent the day in decorating the hall with branches, plants, lanterns and flags. The reception corner had a striking background of maple saplings; fox skins were placed at each side of an old-fashioned sofa and several rockers and easy chairs made it a delightful cosy corner.

On the wall opposite the orchestra was a large oil painting of a cove of the lake. Along the sides was a flag from the "Gun Boat," and two large hats, the subscript of which, "Our Mascots," caused no little amusement.

The dancing was enjoyed by all and continued long in the evening.

About 20 couples were on the ground among whom were City Auditor Chase and wife Mr. and Mrs. J. W. W. Tilton, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Young, Mr. and Mrs. George W. Colon, Mr. and Mrs. W. Hayes, Mr. and Mrs. Wilson and daughter, Mrs. W. E. Savage, the Misses Dunning, Jewett, Bowers, Hunt, Cohen, Young, Fels, Cushing and Claus; Mr. and Mrs. O. K. Dexter, J. S. Marion, Harry Cohen, Charles Cohen, Daniel McKenzie, Harold Jewett, Max Fels, Grover Fels.

The committee on arrangements were: Manager W. E. Savage; aids, Victor Jewett, Max Fels, E. W. Young and Harry Cohen; matrons, Mrs. Frank Jewett, Mrs. August Fels, Mrs. John Bowers and Mrs. George Bowers. Music by McElroy's orchestra.

TEWKSBURY

Mrs. Samuel Pike of West Tewksbury has returned from a very enjoyable vacation at Ocean Park, Old Orchard beach.

Dancing parties to Lakeview has become quite a popular fad with young ladies from the West Tewksbury district.

The usual weekly open air meeting will be held on the common at the Centre tomorrow afternoon. A large number of Lowell people are expected to be present.

WANTED

WANTED—An energetic man to manage an office in Lowell. Salary $125 per month and extra profits. Must come well recommended and have $90 cash. Address Manager P. O. Box 1851, Philadelphia, Pa.

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WANTED—Washing and scrubbing by a good, capable woman with a family to support. Address K. L., Sun Office.

WANTED—Agent to sell the distillery bottling of Belle of Nelson to the local trade in Lowell. Address with reference The Turner-Looker Co., Cincinnati.

WANTED—Two girls to attend tables in a coffee house. Address 142 Market street, Olympia Coffee House.

WANTED—Young man for outside position. Apply room 31, Hildreth building.

WANTED—Good worsted spinners on cap frames. Apply to Clinton Worsted Co., Clinton, Mass.

WANTED—Girl for general house work. Inquire 24 Burnside street, near L. and S. power house.

WANTED—A woman wants work. Would go out by day or hour. 115 Charles street.

WANTED—Lady would like to get lace curtains and family washing to do. Inquire 82 Concord street.

WANTED—Man to work at vegetable farming. H. W. Foster, Andover street.

SITUATION wanted in a meat and provision market or grocery, wholesale or retail. Six years' experience. Call or address D. 25 Kirk street.

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Three chair barber shop. Stand established 15 years. Apply to 90 Gorham street.

FOR SALE—Variety store with tenement attached in good locality. Well established trade but small stock. Apply Sun office.

FOR SALE—A second-hand piano, suitable for a club room or hall; a big bargain for some one. Inquire at Harmony Grove. J. A. Mercier.

FOR SALE—Oak roll top desk, nearly new. Address Desk, Sun Office.

FOR SALE—Cartwright estate, 19 Beech street. Apply at house or W. Cartwright, 21 Forrest street, Lawrence, Mass. Mortgage optional.

FOR SALE—A boarding house corner of George and Emery streets. Inquire of Joseph Ashley, 21 Boott Corp.

FOR SALE—One horse, a cow, one Jersey heifer, 60 hens, and farm of 30 acres with house, barn, hen house sheds, etc., situated next to Whittier Bros.' farm in Dracut, half way between Lowell and Lawrence. Will sell the live stock separately or together with farm. Easy terms. Bargain for somebody. Apply to Robert Galbraith on the premises or by mail. Address Lowell Creamery, care of Whittier Bros.

FOR SALE CHEAP—A five-horse power motor. As good as new. John P. Quinn, Dix street, wood and coal dealer.

FOR SALE—Cigar store and pool room for sale. 183 Middlesex street.

FOR SALE—Restaurant, thriving business, well equipped, up-to-date, most popular in the city, owner retiring. $2500 cash; only cash customers need apply at 215 Monroe street, room 26, Lynn, Mass.

FOR SALE—A National cash register, 50 keys in perfect order, also a small soda fountain at 389 Central street.

FOR SALE—Tan R. I. P. A. N. S. for five cents at druggists. One gives relief.

FOR SALE—At a great sacrifice, a new two-story house for two families; seven rooms each with bath, hot and cold water, gas, hard wood floors, a good lot of land and barn, near 18th street. Inquire at 32 19th street.

FOR SALE—1-2 mile from Chelmsford Centre, six-room house, barn and shed, one acre of land, can be bought on easy terms. Price only $1100. G. L. Hubbard, 121 Central street.

FOR SALE—On Chapel Hill, two-tenement house and store all in first-class repair, large lot of land. This place can be bought low and on easy terms. G. L. Hubbard, 121 Central.

FOR SALE—On Lawrence street, four-tenement block, pays 12 per cent. Price $1000. G. L. Hubbard, 121 Central street.

FOR SALE—On Tyler street, good boarding house with lots of boarders. Price $350. G. L. Hubbard, 121 Central street.

FOR SALE—In North Chelmsford, two-tenement house, large lot of land. Price $500. G. L. Hubbard, 121 Central street.

FOR SALE—Six miles from Lowell, good farm of 88 acres, good set of buildings, lots of fruit, keeps 15 head of stock. Price of farm, $2000. With the stock of 9 cows, 4 head of young cattle, pigs, hens, two horses, wagon, harnesses, farming tools and milk route, price $3000. G. L. Hubbard, 121 Central street.

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TO LET—Furnished front room, with or without board; in private family, 416 Walker street.

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TO LET—One four room tenement. Inquire at 33 Chestnut square.

LOST AND FOUND

FOUND—A black horse. E. L. Bragdon, Lawrence road.

MISCELLANEOUS

LYNN BEACH—A few summer boarders can be accommodated at 10 Sachem avenue, off Tudor street, Lynn. Two minutes' walk from the beach. Terms reasonable.

COTTON WEAVERS UNION—All members that have not been called upon by the collector within the past two weeks are requested to call at Loomfixers' hall and leave their addresses with the financial secretary. From 1 till 4 every Saturday afternoon until further notice.

MISS ANNIE McMULLEN, Fin. Secy.

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WILLIS ALSO PITCHED IN FORM

Both Teams Played Fast Ball

By Associated Press to The Sun.

St. Louis, Aug. 18.—John Powell is nothing if not a hot weather twirler, yesterday in the blazing hot sun, with the mercury playing tag with the 100 mark in the shade, he faced the Bostons, and at no time during the nine innings did he appear to be in trouble.

Five hits were made off the boiler maker, and they were scattered throughout four innings. In the sixth he was touched up pretty hard by Hamilton and Long. They met the ball hard, and their two hits netted them five bases.

The game was devoid of any sensational work. The plays were all easy. The only excitement furnished was in the sixth inning, when Boston made three runs, and tied the score. Hamilton, the first man up in this inning, doubled to left. Long hit an easy grounder to Keister. Billy had two chances to make a put out, as he could have handed the ball to Dillard in time to retire Hamilton or throw to McGann and cut off the batter. He made a schoolboy fumble and both men were safe. Stahl was lucky in his effort. He sent the ball over Wallace's head. It looked for all the world like a single Burkett had no chance for it on the fly and he waited for the bound. The ball bounded higher than he expected and it went over his head and rolled to the left field bleachers. Before Jess could return the sphere Stahl was snugly located on the third cushion. This was the only time during the game that Boston appeared at all dangerous. Only in this inning did the visitors bet a man as far as third. In five innings they were retired in order.

The score by innings:

Innings	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
St. Louis	1	0	2	0	0	1	1	2	—	7
Boston	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	—	3

Earned runs, St. Louis 4, Boston 2. Two base hits, Hamilton, Lowe. Three base hits, Burkett, Stahl. Sacrifice hits, Heidrick, Powell. Hit by pitcher, Keister. Double play, Wallace and McGann. Base on balls, Powell 2, Willis 2. Passed ball, Clarke. Struck out, by Powell 3, Stolen bases, Duffy, Donovan 2, Burkett 2. Time 2h. Umpire, Hurst. Attendance 11 A.

The other games resulted as follows:
Pittsburg 5, Brooklyn 3.
Cincinnati 5, Philadelphi 4 (11 innings).

FITZ AND SHARKEY FIGHT.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

NEW YORK, Aug. 18.—It was announced last night that the big battle between Bob Fitzsimmons and Sharkey at Coney Island will be decided on Saturday night August 25, instead of Friday, August 24, as was originally intended.

EVENING HIGH SCHOOL ALUMNI.

The regular meeting of the Lowell evening high school alumni was held in Burbank hall last night. Following the regular business an enjoyable program was carried out. Many friends and members were present. Three new members were accepted. The next meeting will be held on Friday evening, Sept 21.

LABOR NEWS

At the regular meeting of Lowell Lodge 138, Machinists in Leather Workers' hall last night five candidates were installed and eight applications were received. The rallying committee of the Trades and Labor Council was present and made remarks relative to the Labor Day parade. The machinists have voted to turn out in the parade.

VACATIONS FOR OPERATIVES.

Several departments of the Carpet mills are closed down for two weeks. Work has been suspended in a small portion of the Moore mills at North Chelmsford for the same length of time.

COLUMBIA COUNCIL, O. U. A. M.

Columbia Council transacted routine business only at their meeting held last evening. During the course of this plans were matured for the fishing trip to Marblehead on Labor Day.

DRACUT

There was a large attendance at Contractor Heland's sale in Dracut on Thursday afternoon, and very good prices were obtained. The highest price for a team horse was $175, and lowest was $101. Auctioneer Keyes was in charge.

PENSION CHANGES.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 18.—The following pension resulting from the issue of July 31, are announced:

Massachusetts.

Original—Edward F. Stevens, Hyde Park, $6; Theodore W. Draper (dead) North Attleboro, $12. Special August 2. Andrew N. Thorlington, Chicopee Falls, $12.

Increase—William N. Webb, Lynn, $8. Reissue George S. Morse, Taunton, $12.

Original widows, etc.,—Minor of Marcus L. Daggett, North Attleboro, $11; Martha C. Wakefield, Hingham, $8; Mary Sterns, Lowell, $8; Adelaide H. Draper, North Attleboro, $8; Special accrued July 30, Elizabeth R. Matthews, Long Meadow, $8; Georgiana Lovejoy, Brockton, $8; Delia C. Marcks, Dorchester, $8; Alice H. Mowatt, Lowell, $8.

COWDRY HOUSE BURNED.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

NEW IPSWICH, N. H., Aug. 18.—The Cowdry house, located in this village, near the factory, was burned yesterday afternoon, as was also the greater part of the furniture. The loss is $2200, with an insurance of $1000.

BANK BOOKS FOUND

BELONGED TO MRS. TYLER WHO WAS ROBBED RECENTLY.

Several weeks ago, while entering the Mechanics Savings bank, Elizabeth W. Tyler, an old lady living in Pelham, N. H., was robbed of a hand satchel containing money to the extent of over $50 and bank books representing about nearly $4000. The thief snatched the satchel from her hand and he has not been seen since. Thursday night as Officer Clements was going through the hall of the Cummiskey block in Market street, he found the bank books and the satchel under a stairway. He reported the matter to headquarters and was told to communicate with the owner, with which he has since complied.

WENT FISHING.

Mr. James P. Donohoe of the Rockingham hotel and ex-Representative Owen Donohoe, "piloted" a party of Lowell and Watertown friends, yesterday, to Great pond, North Andover, for a day of piscatorial pleasure. Fish yarns are now in order.

NORTH CHELMSFORD

Mr. William Miller of Lowell and Miss Carrie Bridgford of North Chelmsford were united in marriage at 8 o'clock Wednesday night at the home of the bride in North Chelmsford, and the marriage ceremony was performed by the Rev. A. B. Rogg of Lowell. Miss Clara Swanwick of North Chelmsford was bridesmaid and Mr. Henry Miller of Lowell was the best man. The bride was beautifully attired in white silk, trimmed with chiffon. She wore a bridal veil and carried bridal roses. The bridesmaid was dressed in white muslin. Many costly presents were received by the newly married couple. After the marriage ceremony a collation was served at the home of the bride, and friends were present from Tyngsboro, Lowell Chelmsford Centre and Westford. At 9.30 o'clock the happy couple left on their wedding tour for New York, and after their return they will reside in Liberty street, Lowell.

Miss Josie McCabe, organist of St. John's church, and Mrs. William J. Quigley and daughter Gertrude, all of this village, are spending their vacation at Crescent beach.

MATRIMONIAL

ADAMS—LEAVITT.

A very pretty wedding ceremony was performed Tuesday afternoon at the residence of the groom, 278 Manchester street when the Rev. N. L. Colby united in marriage Edward S. Adams and Miss Bertha G. Leavitt.

The ceremony was performed at 3 o'clock in the afternoon and was attended by only the near relatives of the contracting parties. The groom is one of the best known of Manchester's young men, having been a resident of this city the majority of his life.

Mr. and Mrs. Adams will be found at home to friends at 278 Manchester street.—Manchester Union.

Mrs. Adams was formerly a resident of this city and the newly-wedded couple visited friends here on their marriage tour.

DALLAIRE—O'DONNELL.

At St. Joseph's parochial residence on Wednesday evening, Mr. Pierre Dallaire and Miss Annie Irene O'Donnell were united in marriage by Rev. Fr. Gagnon, O. M. I. The best man was Mr. Joseph Grimes and the bridesmaid was Miss Emma Dallaire.

LOWELL PREACHER IN DEMAND.

Rev. J. F. Allen is to preach at the Laurel Park camp meeting at Northampton, Mass., on Thursday of next week, and on Friday is to speak for the Women's Foreign Missionary society at the same place. The week following he is to speak at the Sterling camp meeting.

WESTFORD

There will be no morning service at the Congregational church during the remainder of the month of August; but the Sunday and mid-week evening meetings will be held the same as usual. Mr. Osgood is the leader for next Sunday evening and Miss Loker will lead the Wednesday evening meeting.

On Saturday, Aug. 25, this church will hold its annual picnic at Nabnassett grove, unless the day should prove stormy, when it would be postponed to some future date.

A JURY REUNION.

A reunion will soon be held in Tyngsboro by the jury which served in the March term of the superior court in Lowell.



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Notice to Contractors.

Sealed proposals will be received at the office of the Lowell Water Board, until 8 o'clock, P. M., Friday, August 24th, 1900, for furnishing all labor and material required for an addition and changes to Pumping Station No. 4 at Pawtucket Boulevard, including foundation walls for boiler house, boilers and smoke stack foundations, brick work engine room, brick setting for boilers and carpenter work, as shown on plans on file in this office. Proposals to be addressed to Lowell Water Board and endorsed "Proposals for additions to Pumping Station No. 4."

The price proposed must be price for furnishing all material and tools and doing all the work and all proposals containing bids not called for in this advertisement will be considered informal. Sub-bidders to be named and to be acceptable to the Water Board.

No bid will be considered unless accompanied by check equal to 10 per cent. of the amount of bid; all figures must be based on the completion of work within sixty (60) days of the award of contract.

The Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

Plans can be seen and all information can be obtained at the office of the Lowell Water Board.

FRANK L. WEAVER,
AUGUST FELS,
MICHAEL J. DOWD,
HERBERT C. TAFT,
Lowell Water Board.

Aug. 17, 1900.

Boston & Maine R. R.

Corrected to June 25, 1900. Trains leave Merrimack Street Depot, Lowell, as follows:

For Boston, 5.45, 6.23, c6.42, *7.45, *8.50, c9.35, *9.40, 11.00 a. m.; 1.40, c3.00, 4.25, c5.44 p. m. SUNDAYS, 3.45 a. m.

Trains leave Middlesex Street Station, Lowell, as follows:

For Boston, 5.15, 6.28, *6.30, c6.45, w6.50, 7.04, *7.27, 7.31, *7.48, c7.50, w*8.09, *8.57, c9.19, w9.25, *9.50, w10.50, 11.03, *11.12 a. m.; w12.05, 12.16, w12.45, 1.14, *1.51, w2.25, w3.19, c3.03, *3.47, w4.55, *4.02, 4.28, w5.15, 5.22, c5.49, w6.15, *6.27, 7.00, *7.10, 8.42, w9.29 p. m. SUNDAYS, 6.32, 7.37, 8.48, 9.17 a. m.; 12.05, 4.05, 4.25, 6.58, 8.45 p. m.

For Lawrence and Haverhill, 6.28, w6.55, z7.34, w8.30, w9.25, 10.05, w10.50 a. m.; w12.05, w2.25, 3.55, 4.15, w5.19, w6.15, w7.00, w9.25, wbll 25 p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.15 a. m., 12.05, 5.30, 8.45 p. m.

For Salem, Mass., w6.23, 7.34, a. m.; w12.05, 1.28, w5.15, 6.58 p. m.

For Newburyport, Amesbury and Portsmouth, 6.23 a. m.; 12.05, 2.25, 5.55, 6.16 p. m.

For Haverhill, Newburyport, Hampton, North Hampton, Portsmouth and stations on York Beach railroad, 2.35 p. m., July 2 to Sept. 7 inclusive.

For Exeter and Dover, 6.28, 6.50, z7.34, 8.30 a. m.; 12.05, 3.55, 5.15 p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.15 a. m.; 4.30 p. m.

For Rochester and Alton Bay, 8.30 a. m.; 12.05, 3.55 p. m.

For Somersworth, N. H., Saco, Old Orchard and Portland, 6.28, 6.50, z7.34, 8.30 a. m.; 12.05, 3.55, 5.15 p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.30 p. m.

For Lewiston, Augusta, Bath, Waterville, 6.50, 8.30 a. m.; 12.05, 5.15 p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.30 p. m.

For Bangor, Belfast, Skowhegan and Rockland, 6.50, 8.30 a. m.; 5.15 p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.30 p. m.

For St. John, N. B., Halifax, N. S., Montreal and Quebec, 6.50 a. m.; 5.15 p. m. (5.15 does not run Saturdays). SUNDAYS, 5.30 p. m.

For Eastport and St. John (via steamer from Portland), on Monday, Wednesday and Friday, at 12.05 p. m.

For Castine, Deer Isle, Sedgewick, Bar Harbor, Jonesport and Machiasport (via steamer Frank Jones from Portland), Tuesday and Friday at 5.15 p. m.

For Yarmouth, 6.23, 7.34, *8.48 11.03 a. m.; 1.43, 4.28, 8.41 p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.48 a. m.; 4.25, 6.58 p. m.

For stations between Winchester and Boston, Southern Division, 5.46, 6.23, 7.31, 7.45, 9.50, 11.03 a. m.; 1.43, 4.28, 5.22, 8.46 p. m. SUNDAYS, 6.32, 7.27, 8.45, 9.17 a. m.; 4.25, 5.55 p. m.

For Ayer Junction and Way Stations, 7.19 a. m.; 12.00, 5.01, and 5.42 p. m. SUNDAYS, 2.15 p. m.

For Amherst, Milford and Wilton, 8.05 a. m.; 1.00, 3.41 and 6.49 p. m. SUNDAYS, 2 p. m.

For Greenfield, Peterboro, Bennington, Hillsborough and Keene, 9.05 a. m., and 3.41 p. m. SUNDAYS, to Hillsboro, 2 p. m.

For Nashua, Manchester and Concord, 7.40, 9.05, *9.40, *10.00, *10.30 a. m.; *12.09, 1.00, *1.45, *1.51, 3.41, *3.49 6.27, *5.15, *9.24 p. m. SUNDAYS, 12.09 a. m. (to Nashua only), 3.05 a. m.; 8.00, 8.02, 8.10, *9.24 p. m.

For Franklin, Lebanon, White River Junction, 9.05, *9.40 a. m.; *12.52, *1.40, 5.49, *a9.10 p. m.

For Warner, Bradford, Sunapee, Newport (N. H.) Claremont and Claremont Junction, 7.40, 9.05 a. m.; 1.40 p. m.; 3.41, a5.10 p. m. Saturday only till August 25th inclusive.

For St. Johnsbury and Lyndonville, via Wells River, 10.30 a. m.; *1.40 *a9.24 p. m.

For Montpelier, Essex Junction, Burlington, St. Albans, St. Johns and Montreal via Central Vermont line, *9.40 a. m.; *12.09, *a8.10 p. m.

For Montreal and Quebec, via Montreal and Boston Air Line, *10.30 a. m.; *a9.24 p. m. QUEBEC EXPRESS, via Plymouth and Sherbrooke, *1.40, *a9.24 p. m.

References.

*Express.
a Daily.
b Wednesdays and Saturdays only.
c Via Bedford.
k To Exeter only.
s Saturday only.
w Via Western Division.
z Via Wilmington Junction.

D. J. FLANDERS, Gen. Pass. and Ticket Agent.
H. C. TAFT, General Agent, Lowell.



Notice to Boiler Manufacturers.

Sealed proposals will be received at the Lowell Water Board Office, City Hall, until 8 o'clock, P. M., Friday, August 24th, for two horizontal tubular boilers and smoke stack, according to plans and specifications on file at said office.

All bids must be addressed to the President of the Lowell Water Board and marked, "Proposals for Boilers and Smokestack."

No bids will be considered unless accompanied by check equal to 10 per cent. of the amount of the bid and all figures must be based on the completion of work within sixty (60) days of the date of award of contract.

The Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

FRANK L. WEAVER,
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Lowell Water Board.

Aug. 17, 1900.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts,

Middlesex, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, creditors and all other persons interested in the estate of CATHERINE O'BOURKE, late of Lowell, in said county, deceased, intestate.

Whereas, a petition has been presented to said court to grant a letter of administration on the estate not already administered of said deceased, to JOHN W. McEVOY, public administrator, of Lowell, in the county of Middlesex, or to some other suitable person.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the fourth day of September, A. D., 1900, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be one day at least, before said court.

Witness, Charles J. McIntire, Esq., First Judge of said Court, this fifteenth day of August, in the year one thousand, nine hundred.

W. E. ROGERS, Asst. Register.

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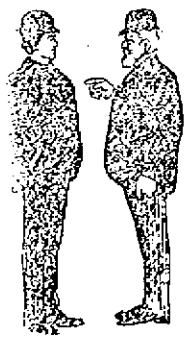
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Southern Div.

To Boston. Lve.	To Boston. Arr.	From Boston. Lve.	From Boston. Arr.
6 43	8 50	6 03	7 07
6 52	7 45	6 23	7 45
6 30	8 33	6 40	7 38
6 43	7 52	8 02	8 02
8 01	8 02	8 42	9 06
*7 27	8 10	*9 03	9 38
*7 34	8 51	*9 30	10 07
7 45	8 33	*10 00	10 32
*8 30	8 58	10 17	11 31
8 33	9 40	10 45	11 35
9 25	10 15	*11 30	12 07
9 10	10 47	12 40	12 56
11 00	12 03	*1 00	1 22
*11 42	12 55	*1 15	1 52
*12 16	1 00	2 03	3 03
1 43	2 54	*3 03	3 35
*11 57	2 39	3 47	5 00
8 00	4 00	4 14	5 30
*3 47	4 50	4 47	5 55
4 02	4 45	*5 03	5 35
4 25	6 32	6 34	6 25
*5 22	6 15	7 47	8 51
5 41	7 10	8 14	9 21
*10 22	7 05	*7 30	8 50
*7 19	8 00	*8 45	9 22
5 48	9 57	10 15	11 13
		11 20	12 22

Sunday Trains

10 30	7 30	2 15	3 03
*7 27	5 10	9 03	10 07
8 45	9 10	1 03	1 47
10 27	10 02	8 03	8 50
1 25	5 30	*7 31	8 04
5 58	7 00	*8 15	9 22
		9 00	10 02

Western Div.

To Boston. Lve.	To Boston. Arr.	From Boston. Lve.	From Boston. Arr.
6 50	8 00	7 30	8 34
8 00	8 54	9 03	10 32
9 25	10 30	10 23	11 41
10 50	12 02	11 50	1 08
12 05	1 22	2 15	3 12
12 45	1 57	3 33	4 55
2 25	3 11	4 25	5 15
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Sunday Trains

8 15	9 27	8 03	9 17
12 05	1 20	12 00	1 02
4 05	5 13	5 00	6 25
6 39	6 55	6 30	9 10
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Trains by western division leave Lowell from Middlesex Street station

*Express.

‡From Middlesex Street Station only.

B Runs to Lowell Wednesdays and Saturdays only.

THE WEATHER

By Associated Press to The Sun.

BOSTON, Aug. 18.—Local forecast for Boston and vicinity: Fair weather tonight and Sunday; variable winds.

SPECIAL NOTICES

A BIG PRESENT.

A gray enamelled preserving kettle with a pound of tea and coffee. You should secure one of these. Dickson Bros., The Big Tea Dealers, 63 Merrimack street.

THE SUN ON SALE IN BOSTON.

The five o'clock edition of The Sun is on sale at the news stand in the Union station, Boston.

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LOCAL NEWS

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SERMON SUBJECTS

ADVENT.

First, Rev. C. R. Crossett, elder, "The outward and the inward man: or two men in one and their relation to each other."

BAPTIST.

Fifth Street, Rev. H. W. O. Millington. Rev. Bowley Green of Portland, Me., will preach morning and evening.

Wigglaville chapel, at 6 30.—Rev. Chas. R. McNally of the Worthen Street church will preach.

FREE BAPTIST.

Middlesex, Rev. Lewis Dexter. "Living in the spirit," evening, "Lifting Christ before men."

Chelmsford Street, Rev. A. E. Kenyon. Rev. E. R. Caswell, formerly of the Middlesex street church, "Three-fold deliverance"

Paige Street, Rev. A. E. Wilson, "Our example," evening, "Certainty."

CONGREGATIONAL.

Eliot, Rev. J. M. Greene, Prof. Hicks of Andover will preach in the morning.

First Trinitarian, Rev. George F. Kenngott, Rev. F. I. Kelley of the Dracut Centre church. "The wayside ministry of Jesus;" evening, "A Divine injunction."

Highland, Rev. C. L. Merriam, "Christ's message to manhood—to the individual;" evening, "Drifting."

Hillside, Dracut, Rev. J. P. Richardson, preaching by Miss Elizabeth S. Tobey of Boston; evening, C. E. meeting led by Royal P. Richardson.

Kirk Street, Rev. W. A. Bartlett, Rev. H. A. Beard, D. D., of Cambridge will preach morning and evening.

EPISCOPAL.

All Saints, Rev. Wilson Waters. No morning service; special musical service in the evening.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL.

Highland, Rev. G. M. Smiley, "The supreme motive in character."

St. Paul's, Rev. L. W. Staples. Rev. C. L. Pillebrown of Ayer will preach; evening, prayer meeting led by Dr C. H. Stowell.

Worthen Street, Rev. J. F. Allen, the pastor, will preach at the union services at the Worthen Street Baptist church; evening, Rev. N. W. Devaneau will preach.

PRESBYTERIAN.

First, Rev. J. M. Craig, "Godliness is profitable;" evening, "The miracles of Christ."

Westminster, Rev. D. A. MacPhie, Rev. L. Norman Leith will preach in the morning; no evening service.

PRIMITIVE METHODIST.

First, Rev. N. W. Matthews, "The personal element;" evening, "Martha and Mary."

MISCELLANEOUS.

Christadelphian Ecclesia, Engineers hall, Wyman's Exchange, "The nature of a man from a scriptural standpoint."

First Spiritualist Society, Earnscliffe Grove, Chelmsford street at 2.30 p. m. C. Fannie Allyn of Stoneham will occupy the platform.

HOSPITAL CASES

DOCTORS HAD A BUSY DAY WITH ACCIDENTS.

John Gallagher, 21, residing at 10 West Third street, was treated for a lacerated right leg below the knee yesterday at the Lowell hospital. Patrick Derrick, 27, of 130 Merrimack street, was taken to the Lowell hospital suffering from burns on the right hand caused by boiling water. Apostolis Vathopulos, a Greek, employed in the Merrimack, caught his right hand in machinery yesterday and lacerated one of his fingers. He was taken to the Lowell hospital. Robert Stringer, a diphtheria patient, was discharged yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gregoire with four of their trimmers, Mrs. Cushing, Misses Higgins, Curran and Lemerise, have just returned from New York, where they have been the past week attending the importers' openings.

Dyspepsia

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WOMAN ARRESTED

One of Two Who Abandoned Child

GAVE NAME AND RESIDENCE OF MOTHER

Inspectors Will Go to Nashua for Her

Inspectors Ladlamme and Allen arrested May L. Warren early last night at her residence in Hurd street, on the charge of abandoning the infant girl now being cared for at the city farm. She made a confession which implicated a sister residing in Nashua, N. H., as the mother of the child, and further assisted the inspector by disclosing the address of her sister. As a result it is probable that the Nashua woman will come into compulsory possession of her offspring and the authorities of the city farm will bid good-bye to "Polly Stack."

The inspectors were able to bring their work to a successful issue by the detailed and accurate descriptions given by Supt. Tonder of the city farm, upon whom the woman called at a late hour Wednesday night and who refused to entertain the idea of receiving the child without a permit. The superintendent sized up his callers very carefully, so that when a couple of hours later he was informed of the discovery of the infant on the door steps of a neighbor he was able to give the Lowell police perfect descriptions of the women. The woman now under arrest is the one who held the infant and did all the talking with the superintendent. As he afterwards stated, she is not the mother of the child. If her statement is to be believed her sister is the mother of the infant.

When the inspectors called at a certain boarding house in Hurd street last night and asked for Miss Warren, the latter did not appear surprised, although she was somewhat agitated. After a few minutes' conversation she admitted everything, but said that no harm was intended to the little one. Upon being asked as to the mother of the child she hesitated a moment, and then replied that the mother lived in Nashua. Later she gave the address of her sister.

At the police station she gave the name as above stated, she said she was 24 years old and was a housekeeper by occupation. She is a rather striking woman in appearance. She has blue eyes and regular features and her complexion is light. An effort is being made to locate her sister and it is more than probable that it will be successful, although if she wishes she can cause considerable trouble to those who would arrest her by insisting on extradition papers.

The woman now at the police station was brought before Judge Hadley in the police court this morning. The infant that has caused the source of all the trouble is at the city farm receiving the best of care. She is such a healthy, fine looking baby that even though separated permanently from her mother she would not want for a good home as there would be numerous applicants for her adoption.

RETURNED FROM EUROPE

BENJAMIN HOLGATE VISITED FOREIGN TEXTILE SCHOOLS.

Benjamin Holgate, clerk at the Lowell Textile school, has returned from an extended visit to England where he visited many of the textile schools and incidentally took note of the systems there. Among those visited was the large school in Manchester, the greatest textile school in the world. The buildings are devoted entirely to textile work and each room occupies an entire edifice. But they are imitating their cousins on this side of the globe by utilizing every inch of space, and many machines are placed into nooks and corners that were formerly vacant.

Mr. Holgate thinks as a textile school our own will compare favorably with any of those abroad but as technical schools they outclass us by a large margin. He found his visit prolific of much good in the many interesting things observed in the well equipped schools of the mother country.

AZALEA CLUB OUTING.

At Belle Grove, last evening, the popular Azalea club of Lowell held its second outing which proved a very enjoyable event. Shortly after 8 o'clock, with Atwood's orchestra in attendance, dancing was begun and about 150 couples joined in the opening waltz. The party came to an end at midnight when a special car took the merry dancers home.

The officers of the affair were: General manager, John Quinn; assistant, Joseph Mongrain; floor director, Stanley O'Brien; assistant, Philip McNeeley; chief aid, Patrick Tarpy; aids, John J. Hulbin, Joseph J. O'Brien, Daniel F. Donohoe, Charles Larkin, Daniel Clark, Connie McCarthy, Oscar Perault.

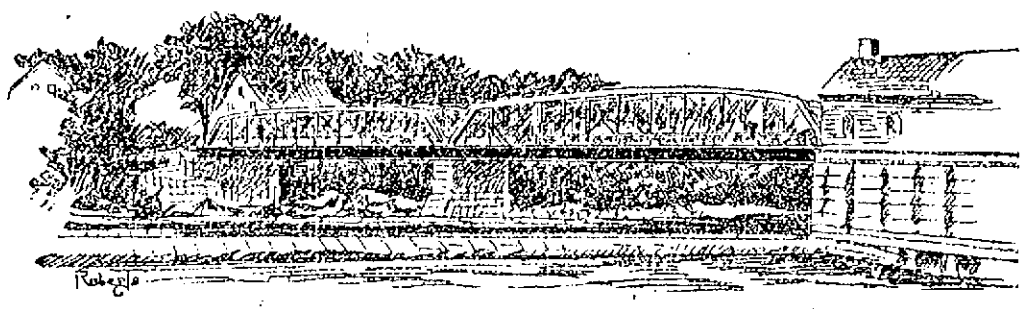
NARROW ESCAPE

UNKNOWN MAN RUN OVER BY A HEAVY WAGON.

While passing through Prescott street last evening, an unknown man had a narrow escape from being killed. When in front of Shattuck's bicycle store the man, who was intoxicated, started to cross the road to the opposite side of the street. A tandem was passing at the time and the man, in trying to get out of its way, ran into a heavy furniture wagon. The horses knocked the man down and the wheels of the wagon passed over his legs.

He picked himself up and crawled to the curbing, where he sat for a while, after which he limped away. The people who saw the accident thought the man was killed, until they saw him crawl.

Miss Lilian Roy of Cedar street has returned home after having visited many points of interest along the New England coast.



THE PAWTUCKET BRIDGE.
Condemned as Unsafe for Heavy Traffic by Engineer Bowers.

PAWTUCKET BRIDGE

Is Falling Down Says Engineer Bowers

And Street Committee Votes to Investigate Into the Cost of a New Bridge to Replace it—County, Locks & Canals and Street Railroad Should Share the Cost—An Echo From the Smooth Paving Post—Why Does Cheney Work His Men Half Time?

The unsafe condition of the Pawtucket bridge was formally brought to the attention of the street committee last evening and after a discussion on the method of improving the conditions at the bridge, voted to prepare plans for a new structure.

There were present at the meeting Alderman Beaulieu, who presided, Alderman Carmichael and Councilmen Casey, Lebrun, Hatch and Burns, of the committee, and Alderman Taylor and several members of the council not of the committee.

The Pawtucket bridge matter was the first considered. Engineer Bowers declared it to be in an unsafe condition and it was voted the sense of the committee that a new bridge is needed, and then the probable cost was considered. Mr. Bowers stated that a new bridge, with plank flooring, would cost about $32,000, and with permanent flooring, $50,000. This would mean using the present foundation piers and abutments.

On motion of Alderman Carmichael the city engineer and city solicitor were instructed to take measures to learn what the Locks & Canals, the street railway company and the county commissioner will do toward bearing the expense for a new bridge. The road is a county road and the bridge accommodates North Chelmsford, Tyngsboro, Dracut and the other towns as well as Lowell, so that the county as well as the city is accommodated. The street railway company has agreed according to a statement made in the meeting, to pay part of the expense of repairing the bridge, so the offer was believed to hold good if it was decided to put up a new bridge.

Mr. Bowers stated that there was an actual danger if heavy teams or cars passed over the bridge faster than a walk, and if more than one heavy team went across at the same time. Unless the warning signs were heeded it would be necessary to shut up the bridge entirely. Mr. Carmichael made another motion that four signs be prepared with proper reading matter to warn and inform the public of the condition of the bridge and what precautions must be exercised to avoid unnecessary danger.

It was voted later in the meeting to have a new and public hearing on Thursday, Sept. 6. At that meeting, also, these matters will be considered:

Regarding a change of the name Davenport street, east, to Davenport Terrace, east; for a bicycle path on both sides of Appleton and Chelmsford streets to Westford street; that Charles avenue and Sarah avenue be accepted; that a part of Mammoth road in Starbird street be laid out.

Batchelder's grove was represented in very bad condition and it was voted to call the attention of the superintendent of streets to the grove and recommend that it be put in proper condition.

Mr. E. T. McEvoy was given leave to withdraw his petition for a sidewalk in front of his premises in Arawana street. The sidewalk has been built since the presentation of the petition.

The Pawtucket Social club asked that the Moody street sidewalk from Third to Fifth avenue be finished and that Fifth avenue be macadamized. It was recommended that the macadam be laid and a hearing was granted on the sidewalk petition.

SMOOTH PAVING AGAIN.

Alderman Carmichael then gave the committee some valuable information regarding smooth paving, in the following letters from Albany and Syracuse, N. Y.:

Syracuse, N. Y., Aug. 9, 1900.

Mr. James Carmichael, Central Block, Lowell, Mass.

My Dear Sir—In answer to your esteemed favor of the 8th inst. and I beg to inform you that Syracuse now has about 60 miles of asphalt paved streets. They are paved with Trinidad asphalt, some Empire asphalt, some Bermuda and some California.

It is safe to say that five-sixths of the asphalt streets are paved with Trinidad Lake asphalt. On the whole, asphalt wears well in Syracuse, although the laying in certain streets has not proved quite satisfactory.

Asphalt pavement is the most desirable pavement in Syracuse. Our streets are cleaned by the hand-cleaning system, which, of course, makes a fine-looking pavement. It is certainly the most popular pavement here. My individual preference is for the large Hallwood block brick, such as laid in Courtlandt avenue in our city, although I am frank to admit that my townsmen do not agree with me in this respect.

The streets of our city are sprinkled by contract and the same is charged up to the property owners through local assessment. We had the street car sprinkler in our city, but I consider it a nuisance, as it wet the streets too much and frightened the horses.

Very truly,
JAMES K. McGUIRE, Mayor.

Syracuse, N. Y., Aug. 13th, 1900.

James H. Carmichael, Esq., Central Block, Lowell, Mass.

Dear Sir—I am in receipt of your esteemed favor of the 10th inst., and would say that, as I understand it, there are two kinds of Trinidad Lake asphalt. One is the pure lake pitch taken from the lake deposits, and the other is pitch taken from land near the lake. I should think that the general term "Trinidad Lake Asphalt" would cover both. There is much deception in the word, and it is quite impossible for the ordinary expert to be able to detect the difference. My opinion is, that you must rely upon your guarantee and make the specifications as broad and open as possible in order to restrict the monopoly. As I understand it, all Trinidad sheet asphalt is controlled by the asphalt trust, and there is actually no competition in that product.

It is five or six years since we laid the Hallwood pavement in Cortlandt avenue, and you will have to write to Ohio for prices.

The street car sprinkler was used in the street sprinkling contracts, and I think the price was about 1 1-2 cents per square yard per diem. The abutting property owners paid the cost along the streets. Yours very truly,

JAMES K. McGUIRE.

Albany, N. Y., Aug. 16, 1900.

James H. Carmichael, Esq., Lowell, Mass.

Dear Sir—Your letter of the 8th inst., addressed to the mayor of this city, inquiring in regard to traction road sprinkling and street pavements has been referred for reply to this department.

The United Traction company of this city does not sprinkle its tracks, with the exception of one level stretch about a mile long in the suburban district, which they sprinkle free of cost to the city.

Asphalt pavement to the extent of 281,652 square yards, was laid here between the years 1889 and 1898, inclusive. The principal defect with the pavement has been the disintegration of the wearing surface, causing large ruts and hollows in the surface of the pavement.

In the last seven years the city has paved only with dimension granite blocks and vitrified bricks laid on six inches of concrete. The last prices for which were $2.70 and $1.75 per square yard respectively.

Cost of the work is assessed on contiguous owners, expense of street intersections is granted on street improvement, also on lateral streets to midway of the block. Very truly yours,

WALTER MELLUS,
City Engineer.

Mr. Barry called attention to the fact, or he understood it to be a fact, that the superintendent of streets was employing his teams only half the week and laying off the men and keeping the horses idle the other half.

The chairman was instructed to learn if the superintendent of streets is hiring teams from outside parties and not using department teams, and keeping his own teams and men idle.

The question of macadamizing Agawam street was laid on the table. The superintendent of streets was instructed to have the street sweeper used Saturday nights in order that the streets may be clean on Sunday. His attention was also called to the dangerous condition of the Lawrence street bridge and he was requested to give an estimate as to the cost of repairing the bridge.

The chairman called attention to the condition of Aiken street and stated that paving or macadamizing was necessary. It was decided to view the street Sept. 6.

SHOULDER DISLOCATED.

Mr. Mark A. Avery of Jersey street is nursing a dislocated shoulder, the result of an accident on a lighthouse off Long Island, Maine. Mr. Avery fell while descending from the lighthouse to a boat and was rowed a distance of seven miles before he had medical attendance.

A PUNGENT FOOD DRINK
With the Taste of Coffee.

"Perhaps no one has suffered more from the use of coffee or failed oftener in the attempt to leave it off, than I have. Although I never drank more than half a cup at a time, it even then gave me sour stomach and a whole catalogue of misery. This kept up for a long period and time and again I resolved that I positively would drink no more coffee, but alas, the rest of the family used it, and, like the reformed drunkard who smells whiskey and falls again, when I smelled coffee, I could not resist it.

"Finally we came to try Postum Food Coffee and my trouble was over at once. There I had my favorite beverage,—a crisp, dark brown, rich coffee, with a fine pungent coffee taste, and yet with no sour stomach or nervous troubles after it. On the contrary I have gained gradually in strength and sturdy health. All who have spoken to me about Postum agree, and we have found it so, that the directions for making must be followed, and it must be boiled at least fifteen minutes, or more, and it also requires the addition of good cream. We have tried boiling it a few minutes when in a special hurry, but found it insipid and unsatisfactory; whereas by proper boiling, it is dark and rich, with a delightful flavor.

"Dr. McMillan of Sunbeam, Ill., said he had used Postum and found it to be just as good as coffee, and more healthful. He is an M.D. of fine standing. Mr. David Strong and sister have left off coffee and are using Postum. They find it much more healthful. Rev. W. T. Campbell, pastor of the Second United Presbyterian Church of this city, says: 'You may say anything good that you wish about Postum Food Coffee and I will substantiate it.' He was a great lover of coffee and yet found it very injurious to his health. He now drinks Postum three times a day and the old troubles have disappeared.

"I shrink from having my name appear in public. The statement I have given you is truthful, and I hope will aid some people to discover that coffee is the cause of their aches and ails, and they are in a way to get rid of their troubles by leaving off coffee and taking Postum Food Coffee."

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Full Confirmation of the Battle—Japanese Fought Bravely as Did Americans—The War Brings Rejoicing to all Civilized Nations



GEN. CHAFFEE, WHO COMMANDED THE AMERICAN TROOPS AT THE BATTLE OF PEKIN.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

SHANGHAI, AUG. 18.—10.20 A.M.—THE GENERAL ATTACK ON PEKIN BEGAN AUGUST 15, IN THE MORNING. THE ENEMY OBSTINATELY RESISTED. THE SAME EVENING THE JAPANESE DEMOLISHED THE CHAN LANG AND TONG CHI GATES AND ENTERED THE CAPITAL. THE OTHER ARMIES ENTERED BY THE TONG QUIEN GATE. THEY SENT DETACHMENTS AT ONCE TO THE LEGATIONS, WHERE THE MINISTERS WERE FOUND SAFE.

FALL OF PEKIN FULLY CONFIRMED

By Associated Press to The Sun.

WASHINGTON, AUG. 18.—THE ALLIED ARMIES HAVE CAPTURED AND ENTERED PEKIN IN THE FACE OF OBSTINATE RESISTANCE, AND THE MEMBERS OF THE FOREIGN LEGATIONS ARE SAFE. OFFICIAL CONFIRMATION OF THE FALL OF THE CHINESE CAPITAL CAME TO THE UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT LAST NIGHT IN THE SHAPE OF TWO CABLEGRAMS, ONE FROM ADMIRAL REMEY AND THE OTHER FROM CONSUL FOWLER AT CHEFOO. THE CABLEGRAM FROM ADMIRAL REMEY CAME TO HAND FIRST, EARLY IN THE EVENING, FOLLOWED VERY SOON AFTER BY THAT FROM CONSUL FOWLER AND THE OFFICIALS, REALIZING THE GREAT PUBLIC INTEREST IN THE EVENTS WHICH IT WAS BELIEVED HAD HAPPENED IN PEKIN, AT ONCE MADE THEM PUBLIC. CONSUL FOWLER'S DESPATCH IS AS FOLLOWS:

PEKIN TAKEN AFTER HARD BATTLE

By Associated Press to The Sun.

WASHINGTON, AUG. 18.—THE ACTING SECRETARY OF STATE MAKES PUBLIC THE FOLLOWING PLAIN TELEGRAM RECEIVED LAST (FRIDAY) EVENING FROM THE UNITED STATES CONSUL AT CHE FOO:

"CHE FOO, AUG. 17, 1900 (RECEIVED AUG. 17, 7.55 P. M.) SECRETARY OF STATE, WASHINGTON, SEVEN TEEN. JAPANESE ADMIRAL REPORTS ALLIES ATTACKED PEKIN, EAST, 15TH. OBSTINATE RESISTANCE. EVENING, JAPANESE ENTERED CAPITAL WITH OTHER FORCES. IMMEDIATELY SURROUNDED LEGATIONS. INMATES SAFE. JAPANESE LOSS OVER 100. CHINESE 300.

"FOWLER."

GOOD NEWS CONFIRMED BY REMEY

By Associated Press to The Sun.

WASHINGTON, AUG. 18.—THE NAVY DEPARTMENT LAST NIGHT RECEIVED THE FOLLOWING CABLEGRAM FROM ADMIRAL REMEY:

"TAKU, AUG. 17, 1 A. M.

"BUREAU OF NAVIGATION WASHINGTON:

"JUST RECEIVED TELEGRAM FROM TIEN-TSIN DATED 16TH, 10 P. M.:

"'PEKIN WAS CAPTURED ON AUG. 15TH. FOREIGN LEGATIONS ARE SAFE. DETAILS FOLLOW SHORTLY.'

(SIGNED) "REMEY."

CHINESE SITUATION CAUSES REJOICING

By Associated Press to The Sun.

LONDON, Aug. 18—4 a.m.—"Pekin was relieved on the night of the 14th." This message was received last evening at the imperial customs office in London from the commissioner of customs in Che Foo. It is the only official message that has reached England in confirmation of the earlier reports. Admiral Remey's despatch did not arrive in time for publication in the morning papers.

The Morning Post which is the only paper printing the Che Foo message, says: "Today is not only a day of national rejoicing; it is also a day of congratulation for all the powers of the world."

Proceeding to discuss the probabilities of a cessation of hostilities, the Morning Post assumes that the United States are willing to abandon any idea of further aggressive action, but it questions the disposition of Germany and the other powers to agree to such a course.

The Berlin correspondent of the Morning Post says he learns that no formal request for an armistice has yet reached the powers and that it is improbable that any such request would be granted.

The other papers comment guardedly upon the general situation, owing to the lack of definite news when the editorials were written. Most of them advocate a stern inquisition regarding outrages and the punishment of the leaders, even if they have to be pursued all over China.

The Daily Graphic, in a paragraph apparently inspired, says there is no reason to believe that any of the powers will repudiate the previous understanding to respect the integrity of the empire and the dynasty, adding that the proposal to land a British force at Shanghai originated not with the British government but with the Chinese who, at the same time urged that his should not be done if likely to lead to international complications.

"This," says the Daily Graphic, "disposes of the story that the viceroy of Nankin changed his mind under the influence of the consuls. Her Majesty's government, we believe, has no intention of contesting the right of France or the United States to land troops should either think it necessary."

EXCURSION PARTY

TO OLD ORCHARD HAD A SPECIAL TRAIN.

Agent Taft of the Boston & Maine R. R. takes exception to the statement of Mr. Brooks, that no special train was furnished for the excursion party to Old Orchard on Thursday. The party was not nearly as large as it would have been had the weather been favorable, but nevertheless a special train was furnished and made excellent time on the trip to and from the beach.

Notwithstanding the rain those who took in the excursion were delighted with their day's outing. The company ran the excursion just as advertised.

SUPERIOR COURT.

The Superior Court, civil session, will come in at both Lowell and East Cambridge the second Monday of next month.

AN ESTIMATE

OF THE POPULATION OF THIS CITY.

The assessors' office estimates that the population of Lowell will be about 93,000.

NEW MACHINERY.

New machinery is being placed in the Brown hosiery on Plain street, which has recently been enlarged, increasing the capacity of that industry one-half.

Mr. James Morris, salesman at Arthur Cunningkey's is to enjoy his vacation at Revere beach.

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SUN LATEST FIVE O'CLOCK

TRAIN WRECKERS

Nearly Sent a Train to Destruction

By Associated Press to The Sun.

NEW YORK, Aug. 18.—A desperate attempt was made to wreck the 7.30 o'clock express on the Pennsylvania road, from Atlantic City for Philadelphia, on the Meadows back of Atlantic City, late last night, says a despatch. The train which carried more than 200 passengers, was almost derailed.

The train was crossing the meadows at a rate of 35 miles an hour, when near Johnson's Thoroughfare bridge, Engineer Willetts saw an obstruction on the tracks ahead. Jamming on the air brakes, he made a desperate effort to stop his train, but the engine plunged with great force into a big pile of railroad ties.

The locomotive rose bodily from the track and mounted up over the obstruction, only its weight preventing it from being thrown into a deep ditch and totally wrecked.

The train hands at once made an investigation and found that about 15 ties had been piled on the track and wedged together in such a way as to form an almost solid mass. The impact of the heavy train had scattered the timbers. None of the passengers was seriously injured, but some of them were considerably shaken up by the sudden stoppage. The only possible motive for the deed is robbery.

FUNERALS

FLANAGAN—The funeral of James Flanagan took place yesterday afternoon from the home of his parents, 45 Crosby street and was largely attended. Burial was in the Catholic cemetery in charge of Undertaker Rogers.

MILLER—The funeral of Frank Miller took place yesterday afternoon from the home of his parents in Bishop street. Burial was in the Catholic cemetery in charge of Undertaker Rogers.

PAYNE—The obsequies of the late James Payne were largely attended at the Immaculate Conception church this forenoon. There were many friends and relatives of the deceased from out of town, including the following: Mr. Harry Payne, Danvers; Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Cummings and children, Lonsdale, R. I.; Mrs. Mary Kelley, a sister of the deceased, North Attleboro; a brother, John Payne, and family of Grandville. A requiem mass was celebrated at 10 o'clock by Rev. Fr. Lawrence, O. M. I. The choir, under the direction of Prof. P. P. Haggerty, rendered the Gregorian plain chant and at the offertory Miss Marguerite Smith sang the hymn "Pie Jesu" by Leybach. After the elevation Director Haggerty rendered the hymn "O Salutaris" by Himmel and also the solos of the Libera. At the conclusion of mass a quartette composed of Messrs. Haggerty, Green, Courtney and Clark sang the pathetic hymn, "I Love to Hear my Savious's Voice"—an adaptation of Director Haggerty's. The interment was in the Catholic cemetery under the direction of Undertaker Davey and the pallbearers were Messrs. Peter Bond, James Cox, Michael Kelley Michael Ryan, Patrick Fay and Michael Tighe. The deceased is survived by a wife and one son, the latter Mr. John Payne, a popular member of the Y. M. C. I. of Belvidere.

LYNCH—The funeral of the late Mary Lynch took place this forenoon at 9 o'clock from the Immaculate Conception church and was largely attended. A requiem mass was celebrated by the pastor, Rev. William D. Joyce, O. M. I. The choir under the direction of Prof. P. P. Haggerty rendered the Gregorian chant. At the offertory Miss Marguerite Smith sang the hymn "Pie Jesu" by Leybach. After the elevation Director Haggerty rendered the hymn "O Salutaris" by Himmel and also the solos of the Libera. At the conclusion of mass the choir sang the hymn "Jerusalem." The interment was in the Catholic cemetery under the direction of Undertaker Davey, and the pallbearers were: Messrs. Hugh Dugan, C. McManus, Michael McQuaide and James Sullivan. Among the beautiful floral tributes was a large pillow with the inscription in blue immortelles "Mother," the last love offering of the bereaved children of the deceased; a massive standing wreath on a base inscribed "Rest," from Fred, Minnie and Lilla Riley; spray of asters, Mr. Walter Whitney; a large cross on base, "At Rest," from Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Watson; spray of purple asters, the Misses Cunningham and McGrather; large basket, Mr. J. H. Durham. Besides the above there were two large sheaves of wheat, each bearing the inscription "At Rest," and several sprays of different colored asters.

DEATHS

FRASER—Harry Dexter Fraser, aged 4 months, died yesterday afternoon at the home of the parents, Alan and Bertha Fraser, 13 McKinley avenue. The parents have the sympathy of a wide circle of friends.

WINN—Catherine Winn, aged 35 yrs., died yesterday at her home, 228 Cross street. She is survived by five children, Mary, Ellen, James, Sarah and Annie Winn.

MARTIN—James, aged two months, child of Patrick and Catherine Martin, died last night, at the home of his parents, 59 Marion street. The funeral took place this afternoon at 2 o'clock and interment was in the Catholic cemetery under the direction of Undertaker Charles H. Molloy.

SMITH—Mrs. Bridget Smith, the widow of the late Edward Smith, died this noon at her home, 12 Fulton street. She was a resident of Centralville for the past fifty years and was highly respected in the community. She is survived by three sons, Mr. Patrick Cregg, Mr. John F. Smith and William J. Smith, and three daughters, the Misses Mary E., Bridget and Sarah A. Smith.

DRACUT PEOPLE

Patiently Waiting on the Highway Commission

TO COMPLETE ROAD TO LAWRENCE

Laid Out Four Years Ago

DRACUT DEMOCRACY IS MOST ENTHUSASTIC

Over Its Prospects Next Fall

The people of Dracut and in fact all residents of the north side of the Merrimack river between Lowell and Lawrence are waiting patiently for the State Highway Commission to carry out its plans of five years ago and finish the construction of that part of the proposed highway to the sea, between Lowell and Lawrence, only a few miles of which yet remain uncompleted.

Five years ago the State Highway Commission set out to construct a highway from New Hampshire to the sea. They struck Lowell from the north at the Boulevard and in their plans continued their proposed highway form the Boulevard through Riverside street to Moody street bridge to Aiken, to Lakeview avenue, to First street and then down by the river bank to Lawrence, selecting this route as the most direct between Lowell and Lawrence.

At the time of laying out this plan the town of Dracut had not been informed of their intended action and the commissioners formulated their plans before any political or other influence had been brought to bear upon them.

When it became known in Dracut that a state highway was proposed on the north side of the river the townspeople began to wrangle as to the location of the new highway. Some wanted it to follow the lines laid out by the commissioners along the bank of the river while others tried to get it further away from the river and more nearly through the center of that section of the town.

While the Dracut people were wrangling over the locations a number of citizens from the south side of the river made an attempt to have the highway go down on that side despite the great hills on the south side and the railroad crossing at South Lawrence. The south side citizens were strong in influence if not in desirability of location and it looked as if they might beat out the north side people if the latter continued to wrangle.

The Dracut people were quick to see how matters stood and they not only stopped wrangling and decided upon the location as designed originally by the highway commissioners, but they appropriated money and built a first-class road from the city line to Varnum's Landing, which may be improved by the highway commission at little cost.

While Dracut was at work doing its share toward getting the new highway on the north side the town's downriver were not slow, and as a result a portion of the road is built down near Haverhill, a portion is being built between Lawrence and Dracut through Methuen, and now practically all that remains for the state highway to do is to complete its road between Lowell and Lawrence is to accept the road built by Dracut from the city line to Varnum's Landing, and construct about two miles of road from the landing to the point where the Methuen portion of the highway begins. The residents of Dracut, many of whom have much occasion to use the road between Lowell and Lawrence, are waiting patiently for the commission to make good its promise of five years ago, and with the hearty co-operation given by the towns along the line the commission should be more appreciative and get on a move.

Dracut is very enthusiastic over its candidate for senator, John T. Spirks, and will do its share toward his election. While the town is now slightly democratic, when registration will have been completed this fall it will be more so, for there are many democrats permanently located in Collinsville, who will go on the list this year and it will not be surprising if they number sufficient to change the 27th representative district into a democratic stronghold. More power to the Dracut democracy!

AIKEN STREET EXTENSION.

Aiken street extension will soon be open for traffic. The new street from Ford to Moody street is now open to the public. The curbings have been laid and the road bed is in very good condition. It is expected that the portion of the street from Moody to Merrimack street will soon be finished.

Searching for Heirs.

A party in Brooklyn, N. Y., is searching for heirs to claim their interest in property. Ellen Conley of Massachusetts, niece of P. J. Conley, who died in one of the western states in 1865; Walter C. Frost, Middlesex County, Mass., 1884; Anna S. Mitchell, Worcester County, Mass., 1882; Frederick S. Stevens, Essex County, Mass., 1884. Any person knowing either party will be the means of benefiting them by sending the address to Post Office Box No. 4, Station W, Brooklyn, State of New York.

MYSTERY SOLVED

Etta Warren Mother of Abandoned Child

Story Told the Police by Her Sister Who is Under Arrest—Child Was Born at Lowell General Hospital

Mary I. Warren, aged 24 years, was arrested in a boarding house in Hurd street last night on a charge connecting her with the case of abandonment of a child on Wednesday night this week.

It will be remembered that two young women called at the city farm and asked Superintendent Pinder if they could leave a child there. He could not receive the little one and so informed the women. They left the city farm and later the baby was found on the doorsteps of a house in Chelmsford street occupied by a family named Stackpole.

Since then the police have been trying to locate the two women. Supt. Pinder furnished a fine description of them and this with other information received by Inspector Allen led him to place Mary Warren under arrest. When questioned by the inspector she admitted she was implicated in the abandonment of the child, and said the mother of it is her sister, Etta Warren, of Nashua. The police at once started to locate the mother.

To Inspector Allen and Secretary Courtney of the pauper department this morning the girl under arrest made the following statement: "The mother of the child is my sister, Etta Warren, and she is in Nashua now. The father is Arvin Woods of Hancock N. H., who has been keeping company with Etta for some time. They came from Hancock to Nashua some time ago and I have two other sisters in Nashua. The child was born at the Lowell General hospital on July 25 and mother and child remained there till last Wednesday. On that day the father of the child came to Lowell and went to the hospital and passing as the husband of the woman, gained admission to the hospital. He and my sister with the child left the hospital in the evening and I accompanied them to Merrimack Square, where the father took a car to Nashua and my sister and I went to the city farm expecting we could leave the little one there. When we could not, we put it on a doorstep and went away. I had nothing more to do with it."

The woman appeared in court this morning and when the charge of "aiding and abetting the abandonment of a child of Etta Warren," was read, she said: "I guess that is all right." She was held in $200 till next Tuesday.

Inspector Allen went to Nashua this noon to place Etta Warren, the mother of the child, under arrest.

Helen E. Garland was charged with trespassing on the property of Charles Cooper. The judge gave her to understand that she must not disturb other people.

The following first offenders were fined $2 each: Edward Mullen and James Howard.

Elizabeth Bradley pleaded guilty to drunkenness and was sent to the workhouse for 20 days.

Michael J. Graney was charged with drunkenness and also assault and battery on Della E. Smith. Miss Smith said Graney was going along the street when he raised his hand and struck her a severe blow, which hurt her. She does not know Graney and never saw him before. Judge Hadley remarked that Graney had been before the court at least 25 times. He found him guilty and sentenced him to jail for four months on the assault charge and two months additional for drunkenness. He appealed.

Mathew Boyle, George Sullivan and Thomas Hughes went in bathing yesterday and failed to put on any clothing. They were fined $1 each.

THE DENT BOY

Supposed to be With Gypsy Band

NEW JERSEY DETECTIVE LOOKING FOR HIM

Has Been Missing Since Last March

By Associated Press to The Sun.

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., Aug. 18.—Little George Arthur Dent, 4 1-2 years old, disappeared nearly five months ago from his home in Lowell, Mass., and now the police of this city have been asked to assist in finding him.

The boy's parents think it quite probable he may be wandering about the country with a band of gypsies. Several of these bands have been driven away from the vicinity of this resort during the summer, and it is thought that some of them may know something about the missing boy.

A curious point in regard to the boy, and one which, more than anything else, has caused his parents to think that he may be with the gypsies, is his strange infatuation for horses. Whenever he saw a horse he immediately became interested and wanted to pet the animal. In spite of his tender years little Artie Dent could drive a single team quite well.

Last winter a tribe of gypsies visited Lowell and located near the Dent home. Artie was a frequent visitor to the encampment and fell in love with some of the horses owned by the tribe. He made friends with several of the gypsies, who apparently became very much attached to Elm. Late in March the gypsies broke camp and left Lowell for parts unknown and about the same time little Artie disappeared.

The distracted parents have secured the services of State Detective Charles Ainge of this city to trace their missing boy, and he is now engaged in trying to locate the various bands of gypsies in the country. The parents of the missing boy have offered a reward of $500 for the safe return of their child.

IN NEED OF REPAIR

Aiken street bridge is badly in need of repairs. The roadway of this bridge is in wretched condition, and if the city does not care for it before long they may have a suit for damages on their hands as a result of their neglect.

WILLIAM KRANE ALIVE.

The identity of the William Krane who left a note in a Greenwich, Conn., hotel to the effect that he intended committing suicide has not been determined. The only man of a similar name, who has been away from Lowell for a few days has his home in Centralville. He is enjoying a vacation in Moultonville, N. H., and writes that he is in the best of health.

SHOT HIMSELF

CONCORD MAN TRIED TO END HIS LIFE.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

CONCORD, N. H., Aug. 18.—Martin Conklin, 60 years of age, was sent up to the house of correction from this city last March for drunkenness. Some time ago he escaped and has since been hiding. Early this morning he appeared at his home and drove his wife and her sister out of doors at the point of a revolver. Then he turned the weapon on himself and put two bullets into his head. Neither inflicted a dangerous wound and it is thought that he will recover.

SERIOUS BLAZE

AT PEMAQUID FALLS EARLY THIS MORNING.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

DAMARISCOTTA, Me., Aug. 18.—The colony of summer residents, including a number of women at Pemaquid Falls, about seven miles south of here, assisted the villagers in preventing the destruction of the place by fire this morning.

At 4 o'clock fire broke out in a dwelling owned by A. J. Dodge, of Roxbury, Mass., at Pemaquid Falls. There is no fire apparatus in the town and the property was soon in flames. Mr. Dodge's stable and outbuildings were all burned. At one time it looked as if every building in the town would be burned. The total loss amounts to $4000, $3000 of which falls on Mr. Dodge. He carried $1500 insurance. E. S. Elliott sustained a loss to stock and fixtures, principally by water, to the amount of $1500; insured $700. Cause of the fire is unknown.

MONDAY, SEPT. 3,

LABOR DAY

On account of Monday, Sept. 3, being a legal holiday, depositors in the Savings Department of the Traders National Bank are reminded that deposits should be made on Saturday, Sept. 1, in order that they may

DRAW INTEREST for SEPTEMBER

at a rate of 4 per cent per annum, compounding semi-annually.

The banking hours on Saturday are intended to accomodate workingmen and others, the bank being open continuously from 8 a. m. to 1 p. m., and arrangements are made to handle the large amount of business offered during the evening hours, from 7 to 9, so that little or no delay is caused in serving the public.

The Traders National Bank

Transacts a general banking business.
Issues foreign exchange, payable in all parts of the world, in English, French, German and Swedish money.
Furnishes safety deposit boxes, with private coupon rooms.
Pays, in its savings department, 4 per cent. per annum, compounded semi-annually, interest beginning monthly.
Has a section of banking rooms exclusively for ladies.
Is a depository of the United States and Commonwealth of Massachusetts.
Banking hours—8 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturday, 8 a. m. to 1 p. m.; 7 to 9 p. m.
Banking rooms—29 to 45 Middlesex street and 11 to 24 Post Office Avenue.

THE SUN LATEST 5 O'CLOCK

TROOPS OUT

And Patrolling Streets of Liberty City

By Associated Press to The Sun.

JESUP, Ga., Aug. 18.—Liberty City, two stations below Jesup, and in a remote southeastern portion of the state, is being patrolled by hundreds of armed men, two troops of cavalry, the Liberty Independents and Liberty Guards, while men are sending away their women and children to escape the troubles that are expected to break out afresh tonight after 12 hours' cessation.

It is another of those race troubles that grew out of the killing of a white man by irresponsible negroes in a section where the blacks outnumber the whites three to one, and, as usual, the effect on the innocent, both white and black, is fearful.

Since the riot's inception, three days ago, two white men and three negresses have been killed, one white man has been seriously wounded by a powder explosion and last night's rioting culminated in the actual shooting of Col. James Thomas, a prominent Wayne county politician, who was a member of Sheriff Lyon's resenting posse; the burning of stores at Liberty City and Walthrville and an attempt to wreck a Plant System passenger train by negroes, who believed Sheriff Lyon's posse was on board. Sheriff Lyons returned to Jesup yesterday with his wounded assistants.

A BRAVE MOTHER

Risked Her Life to Save Her Child

LITTLE ONE FELL FROM WHARF

Both of Them Were In Great Danger

By Associated Press to The Sun.

LYNN, Aug. 18.—Mrs. Joseph Shocks of Charles street proved herself a heroine yesterday afternoon. She willingly placed her life in jeopardy to preserve that of her 4-year-old daughter who had fallen from a wharf.

Joseph Shocks, his wife and daughter left their home on Stickney street and walked to the wharf of the West Lynn yacht club on Commercial street. The child was playing on the dock near her mother when she suddenly rolled into the water.

The mother screamed and without an instant's hesitation jumped off the wharf after the child. Mr. Shocks tried to grasp his wife as she flew past him, but he only succeeded in catching a slight hold of her dress and this he was compelled to relinquish.

The child and mother sank from sight, but their cries and that of Shocks brought Joseph Hyde, a neighbor to the scene, and he immediately plunged overboard. He succeeded in diving and catching the child and handing her to the almost frenzied father, and then turned his attention to the drowning mother.

With difficulty he succeeded in keeping her head above water, and with the assistance of reserve officer Lyons landing her safely on the wharf. Even when in the water, the woman kept crying to the men to save her child and although weak and exhausted when drawn from the harbor, she was anxious, when not unconscious, in ascertaining whether the life of the little one had been spared.

While the policeman and others rolled the child on a barrel and succeeded in resuscitating her, others assisted the mother and both were taken to their home.

POLITICAL FIGHT

IN WHICH REVOLVERS AND CLUBS FIGURED.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

SAN JUAN, P. R., Aug. 18.—Yesterday at Mayaguez a crowd of Federals and republicans got together and after heated political disputes, 30 revolver shots were exchanged and clubs and other weapons freely used. One man was killed outright and a dozen others were injured, two fatally.

MANY REFUGEES

FROM CHINA ARRIVED AT SAN FRANCISCO.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Aug. 18.—A number of refugees have arrived here from China on the steamer Hong Kong Maru. Among them are Dr. P. C. Leslie of Montreal; Dr. C. H. Duncan from Siam; Mrs. L. Dirtsseller, from Jesson and Dr. and Mrs. W. Malcolm and two children; Mrs. W. C. McClure and three children; Mrs. F. W. Farries and child; Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Skinner and two children and Dr. H. G. Whelpton from China.

BOLD BURGLARS

COMMITTED MURDEROUS ASSAULT ON A WOMAN.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

BOSTON, Aug. 18.—Mrs. Bertie Aller, 37 years old, was murderously assaulted by a burglar, who had gained an entrance into her house at 65 Corning street at 2:30 this morning.

She was stabbed in three places on the head. One wound is on her forehead and the other two are in either temple.

AGNES McCOMB

Had a Narrow Escape From Death

Last week Agnes McComb, aged 16 years, had a narrow escape from death by a peculiar accident in the Carpet mills, where she works, under Overseer Swan.

She was employed in the room where the fancy rugs are sewed and finished. As the floors are waxed, they are quite slippery and care is necessary in walking upon them. Miss McComb in hurrying across one of the floors, accidently slipped and fell heavily upon her side. A pair of long scissors were suspended to her waist by a tape, and in her fall the scissors turned and entered her groin to the full length. They also opened while in the wound, thus causing a laceration of the flesh.

The brave girl, before she recovered her feet, turned and pulled the scissors from the wound, and then came a rush of blood which covered the floor around her. A doctor was quickly sent for and after applying remedies to stop the flow of blood, the girl was carried to a hack and sent to the Lowell hospital, where the wound was closed by seven stitches.

After a couple of days the girl was transferred to her home, and has now almost completely recovered. She had a most narrow escape from death, and the doctors, as well as her friends, are surprised that she recovered so quickly. They had feared blood poison, as the point of the scissors struck the lung, and lent under the weight of the girl's body.

It was at first thought that it would be necessary to have an operation to scrape the lung, but this was not resorted to, and happily the wound has almost completely healed up without any signs of further danger.

CLAUDE HAMILTON

CAPTURED A FIRST PRIZE AT ATHOL.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

ATHOL, Mass., Aug. 18.—Nearly 1000 persons attended the bicycle races at Brookside park last evening. Everything passed off in fine shape. The summary:

Match race between C. E. Hutchins and Lil J. Gaudette of Athol—Won by Gaudette. Time, 2m. 30s.

Two-thirds of mile open—Won by Claude Hamilton of Lowell; H. E. Walker, Orange, second; C. H. Drury of Winchendon, third. Time, 1m. 29s.

Half-mile novice—Won by C. J. Smith of Orange; H. L. Stevens of Orange second. Time, 1m. 3s.

Two-mile handicap—Won by R. A. Carol of Worcester, scratch; C. H. Drury of Winchendon, second, 50 yds.; H. E. Walker of Orange, third, 50 yards. Time, 4m.

Five-mile race between Carol, Hamilton, Rutherford, Drury and Cartwright—Won by Carol in 8m. 29s., after covering three miles and one-half.

At Concord, N. H., yesterday Phil Delphonal won second prize in the two mile handicap from the 20 yd. mark. Hamilton did not ride at this place, because he could not make connection to reach Athol in time for the race meet at that place in the evening.

COUNTRY WEEK FUND.

Previously acknowledged	$57 75
Thistle club, Pawtucketville	2 00
Mrs. E. D. Sayer	1 00
W. H. Clark	2 00
Cash	2 00
S. J. A.	1 00
A. L. A.	1 00
B. C. C.	1 00
Walter Cobern	5 00
Tyngsboro	5 00
Mrs. A. B. E.	1 00
Mrs. Peter Anderson	2 00
D. L. Page Co.	Iron
High Street church	15 00
Friend	5 00
Friend	5 00
Total	$71 75

EDWARD ELLINGWOOD, Treas.

A GRAND SUCCESS

Managers of Day Nursery Gratified at Recent Picnic

The following letter has been submitted to The Sun for publication by Gen. C. A. R. Dimon:

Lowell, August 17, 1900.

"Editor Sun:

"In consideration of the great amount of pleasure received by over 2500 children and working mothers of the city of Lowell, at the Day Nursery picnic held at the Oaklands Aug. 1, the Day Nursery managers think that they are justified in asking you to publish some recognition and in part the names of those who voluntarily, and without charge, gave their time and ability and donations to make the day of so pleasure to the working people of Lowell. It shows a practical charitable effort, without hope of personal or political reward; and may Lowell citizens long follow the example, and their reward will be in their own hearts.

"Employes of different mills, to the number of 50, gave their free services. Toys and many prizes for children, at reduced prices, were furnished by Bartlett & Bow, Thompson Hardware company, W. T. S. Bartlett, Merrimack Street Hardware Company and to Brazer and company. Thanks is also due to Mr. D. L. Page. The Lowell Daily News, through Mr. Sullivan, printed free tickets free of charge. The Lowell and Suburban Railway company, through Mr. Wyndham, furnished 250 free car rides, and the kindness and courtesy of the motormen and conductors to mothers and young children was very noticeable and the attention was perfect.

"One of the most enjoyable parts of the picnic was the music furnished by the Lowell Military band, that played for the children from 2 to 7:30 p. m., free of all charge. As each note meant a self-sacrificing effort for charity, I hope you will find room for their names. The boys do not know of this, but they deserve all the praise we can give them.

"James A. Murphy, leader; Charles Lowe, James H. Hackley, Albert F. Shaw, cornet; J. Roach, Henry Heaps, J. Quigley, A. Hill, James Regan, clarinets; W. C. Bartlett, George Hayward, T. F. Hill, altos; A. Kerr, baritone; W. Gibson, J. Stavely, basses; T. Gleason, E. Kittredge, trombones; P. Gallagher, P. Johnson, drums; W. Clark, cymbals.

"To the great number of citizens and other parties who gave their time and sympathy and labor to make the Day Nursery picnic of 1900 a success, the managers wish to express their thanks.

C. A. DIMON, Treasurer."

GENERAL LAWTON CLUB.

The General Lawton club, which was formerly the Jolly Eight club, held a special meeting Thursday evening and decided to hold a banquet on Labor night. President White appointed the following on the committee: J. Joseph Kelley, Thomas F. Tracy, Charles D. Monahan, Jr., Frederick F. Flaherty and Thomas A. Ginty, all of this city and Dan'l F. Mulcahy of Lynn, Murray C. Caswell of Stoneham and John F. Horne of Ayer. This committee will hold their meetings in conjunction with the board of trustees.

DAY NURSERY

HAD NO CASES OF DIPHTHERIA.

On the authority of Dr. Packer of the board of health, Col. Dimon announces that there have been no cases of diphtheria in connection with the institution. It is true that two children who have been there occasionally have been taken down with this disease. But they had not been at the nursery for some time previous to their illness.

The Day Nursery is open to all children of the prescribed age, and the matron will exercise the very best of care that no contagious disease may enter. In fact every child on being brought to the nursery will be closely scrutinized so that no symptom of any contagious disease will pass unnoticed.

WORK WELL DONE

Nearly all Vaccinations Were Successful

The physicians who recently vaccinated nearly every resident of Little Canada are now inspecting their work and are much pleased with the results. Yesterday Dr. Halpin visited 60 persons whom he had vaccinated and found that in 58 cases the vaccination had "taken." Generally about 40 per cent. are unsuccessful. Little Canada is now thoroughly inoculated and it is doubtful if any more small-pox will break out this year.

LOADED CIGAR

PP EXPLODED AND SEVERELY BURNED THE SMOKER.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

NEW YORK, Aug. 18.—Edward P. Southard, a western business man, who is staying at a hotel here, was treated at Bellevue hospital last night for severe burns, caused by a loaded cigar. He says that he called on a friend in the afternoon who offered him, as he was saying good-bye, what appeared to be a choice Havana cigar. Southard was on a Second avenue car last night smoking his cigar when it exploded and caused a panic. Sparks from it set fire to the hat of a lady and persons who sat near Southard were moved to anger because they thought he had caused the explosion purposely.

MILLS CLOSED

IN MAINE FOR SPACE OF TWO WEEKS.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

BIDDEFORD, Me., Aug. 18.—All departments of the Pepperell Manufacturing company's mills in this city and the York mills in Saco, shut down at noon today for two weeks. Work will be resumed on September 4, the Tuesday following Labor Day. Five thousand operatives are employed in these mills. The cause of the shut down is under-consumption of the product due in part to the curtailment of the export trade on account of the Chinese trouble.

AT POINT OF DEATH.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

NEW YORK, Aug. 18.—Mrs. James Strathie, mother of 11-year-old James Strathie of Highlands of Navesink, N. J., who died of rabies a month ago, is now at the point of death from the same disease. Mother and son were bitten by a playful dog and on its being killed and a postmortem held, the dog was found to have the disease.

BACK FROM KLONDIKE.

Mr. Joseph Gadoua, who left Lowell for the Klondike in August, 1897, has returned to this city where he is welcomed by a host of friends. Mr. Gadoua is well satisfied with his experience in the gold regions but will visit Montreal before deciding whether or not he will return to the Klondike. It was Mr. Gadoua who accompanied Messrs. Pierre A. Bronsseau and Adolphe Dubile on their trip. Mr. Gadoua visited Cape Nome and left that place about six weeks ago. At Dawson City he met Messrs. Couture, Hamelin, Choquette and Duchanne of Lowell. All had claims and were working them to advantage.

C. F. KEYES, - - Auctioneer

Office, Old Boston & Maine Station, Green St., Lowell, Mass.

AUCTION—SPECIAL SALE.

Twenty-five head of young, fresh horses, direct from the country; also a large number of acclimated horses, at the stable of C. H. Clapp & Co., No. 27 Cushing street, Thursday, August 23, at 2 o'clock p. m.

The horses consist of matched pairs, drivers, workers and, in fact, you will find horses at this sale adapted for any kind of work. Their colors are bays, browns, greys and chestnuts; they are all well broken, and an excellent lot, and are ready for use. If you are in want of a horse it will pay you to visit our new quarters on Cushing street. The horses will be on exhibition on and after Monday, August 20, and we will be pleased to show intending purchasers to their satisfaction.

For want of room we cannot describe them all. We have an excellent lot of dapple greys, weighing 1200 lbs., five years old, well broken, in single or double harness. One bay horse, six years old, weighing 1375 lbs., and a clincher. A very stylish pair of black horses, six and seven years old, weighing 2,250 lbs. We have a number of excellent draught horses in this lot that are city broken. If you will call at our stables and ride behind them, we shall be pleased to show them to you to your entire satisfaction.

This lot of horses was selected by Mr. Clapp, who well knows the class of horses for this market, and he thinks this is as choice a lot as he ever shipped; this we will prove to you if you call and examine them.

Terms: Cash or satisfactorily endorsed notes.

Remember the day, Thursday, August 23, at 2 o'clock p. m.

SATURDAY, Aug. 25, at 4 O'clock.

Positive Sale of Residential Property.

A 2 1-2 story house and about 1520 square feet of land at 262 South street, Saturday.

I am determined to sell the above property, on the day advertised, regardless of the weather or price, and I have instructed Auctioneer Keyes to sell the same for the highest bid. Someone is sure to purchase this beautiful home, as it is much too large for me. I know I will have to make a sacrifice, but will have to be content with the public price.

The house consists of nine rooms, parlor, dining room, kitchen, chamber and a large bath on the first floor; there are three chambers on the second floor and two finished attics. The house is in very good repair inside; it is high studded; the rooms are very conveniently laid out, and has an extra good size cellar. For a small expense it could very easily be made a two-tenement house, or it would make an excellent home for a large family.

The lot has a frontage of 32 feet on South street and runs 80 feet in depth, making an area of 2560 square feet. It is all sodded, and is dotted with fruit trees, shade trees, grape vines, flowers, shrubberies, etc., making a very beautiful corner at the rear of the house.

LOCATION: This property is located on the easterly side of South street, on the highest part of the hill; it commands a beautiful view across the South common. It is within two minutes' walk of the new beautiful St. Peter's church; within three minutes' walk of the schools; within seven minutes' walk of several large industries and within three minutes' walk of the electrics.

When you sum up all the good points connected with this property, it should certainly interest you if you are looking for a comfortable and profitable home.

Terms: $250 to be paid as soon as the property is struck off, other terms at sale.

By order of,

MARY BRODERICK.

NEW HOSPITAL

New Emergency Hospital in Gorham Street

A VALUABLE ADDITION TO THIS CITY

Has Had 120 Cases Since First of Month

A very valuable institution which has been opened in this city, and which bids fair to become a very important addition to our hospital service, is the Lowell Emergency Hospital.

The hospital is in the building formerly occupied by Jerome F. Manning, 258 Gorham street, and is next to the new St. Peter's church. It opened on the first day of August, and up to Thursday evening has attended to 120 cases, being an average of nearly eight a day.

Mr. L. P. Perrige of Arlington is the manager, and he speaks very highly of the institution. He says that it is mostly for the wage earners, and the terms asked by this institution are within the reach of every man and woman.

A certificate is issued by this hospital to men, women and children for one dollar, that entitles the holder to medical and surgical aid at the hospital for one year. This certificate is not transferable. The certificate permits any number of visits, if made within the year, medicines alone being paid for at a little above cost, but fully as low as they can be procured at any drug store.

The hospital is open day and night, Sundays and holidays; its doors never being closed. At the present time there are two physicians and surgeons, Dr. W. H. Gallagher and Dr. W. A. Fogg. Both of these men have long hospital experience.

The building occupied is large enough for the present, but it is intended within a year or so to make large additions or to erect a new building.

On the first floor of the hospital are the reception room, office and operating room. Up stairs are men's and women's wards. In the men's ward there are two beds, and in the women's ward one bed.

It is not the intention of the hospital authorities to have their patients stay over night, but to remove them to their homes after their wounds have been dressed, but cases now and then come up which are too serious to be removed from the hospital so soon after treatment or operation. After a patient is removed from the hospital to his or her home, the hospital doctors go there on regular visits.

At present there is no ambulance connected with the hospital, and the city ambulance is used, but it is the intention of the authorities to have an ambulance of their own in the near future. The building itself is centrally located, and about an equal distance from the extremes of the city.

If a person is injured and has an Emergency hospital certificate, the driver of the ambulance immediately removes the person to the Emergency hospital, and if a person who has not got a certificate wishes to be taken to this institution, he has but to notify the driver.

The Emergency hospital in Kingston street in Boston is a pronounced success, and takes care of about 70 per cent. of the emergency cases of that city.

LOST—A flannel coat between 206 Branch street and the city stables. Finder will be rewarded by returning the same to the Highland laundry.

LOWELL Gas Light Company

THE KENWOOD AUTOMATIC WATER HEATER.

Will give you an unlimited supply of hot water, obtainable at any moment. By a simple turn of the faucet, the heater is set in operation and will almost instantly give you all the hot water needed. Turning off the water also automatically turns off the gas and your heater stops. THE KENWOOD requires no boiler, but may be used in connection with one if so desired.

An inspection of the heater in operation, at our office, will make clear to you its many advantages.

We have in stock the latest Welsbach burners and mantles.

Price of gas with the discount off for prompt payment is

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First-class Gas Ranges sold on the latest plan. Coke broken, screened and delivered at $4.50 per chaldron, $2.25 half chaldron, cash. No charge made for the use of meters. No charge made for running supply pipes from street mains to consumer's cellar. Orders when left at office promptly attended to.

TWENTIETH CASE

Of Diphtheria Was Reported This Morning

Dr. Halpin this morning reported the 20th case of diphtheria, the victim being the two years old son of John Callahan residing in the rear of 339 Lakeview avenue. This is a tenement district and the health authorities will take every measure to prevent a spread of the disease.

CHELMSFORD CENTRE

The town clerk has received the town's supply of the Laws and Resolves for 1900. Copies are for distribution at the store of S. W. Parkhurst.

John N. Park of the South village is reported quite ill.

Charles W. Bryan has been on the invalid list several days.

Edward B. Emerson has been off duty this week on account of ill health.

Mrs. J. W. Perham and Miss Maud Perham have returned from their visit to New Brunswick.

C. F. Keyes of Lowell has sold the estate known as the L. J. Mansfield, Jr., place to a Mr. Phillips from New Hampshire, who has taken possession and is much pleased with his purchase.

The fruit growers report an abundance of early apples and the crop of late fruit will not be small.

Those from this village who will be in Chicago national encampment week, starting the 27th, are J. A. Bartlett, J. F. Emerson, Francis Hutchinson, Francis Day and Paul Dutton.

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"Contenta" $3 shoe for men. Built on anatomical lines to fit the foot; don't have to make the foot fit it. It's a comfort to begin with and comfort to end with. Lowell made; every Lowell man ought to wear it. He would if he only knew how good it is. For sale only by

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452 Merrimack St.

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New plot of land on the east side of Moody street now ready. There are some very choice lots in this plot of land, first come, first choice. Places, prices and terms at the office.

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Steerage passengers from Boston allowed first-class fare to New York, via Fall River Line, free of charge.

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Dennis J. Murphy, 18 Appleton St

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Lard Compound ..... 5c.
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EVERYBODY READS The Sun wants, that is why a want ad. in The Sun brings results every time.

A LOWELL BISHOP

May be Appointed and Choice Is Predicted

MANTLE MAY FALL ON REV. FR. RONAN

Notes of Interest From Local Catholic Churches

A number of summer vacationists from the different parts of the country who are now sojourning at Cohasset and Scituate are to participate in a concert next Sunday evening in aid of the parish of which Rev. William H. McDonough, formerly of St. Peter's church in this city is pastor. Many of the summer residents of the above popular resort are wealthy Catholics who hold Fr. McDonough in the highest esteem and have taken this means to evidence their esteem for him. Mr. James E. Donnelly of St. Peter's church, this city has been invited to take part in the concert and asked to render in connection with other songs the popular Irish ballad, "The Boys of Wexford." Mr. Donnelly has sent a favorable reply to the committee in charge of the concert and will leave for Cohasset Sunday forenoon.

Carpenters will soon begun the work of laying the floors of and putting in the be the cathedral church of the district.

A well known clergyman has informed a Sun reporter that the latter need not be surprised if Rev. Michael Ronan, the popular pastor of St. Peter's church, will soon be elevated to the throne of bishop and that the new St. Peter's church will be the cathedral church of the diocese, over which the highly esteemed prelate to be will have charge. It is claimed that the diocese has become exceedingly large of late years and that Archbishop Williams and Bishop Brady have been overtaxed in their labors in what is known as the Boston district. The Springfield diocese is admirably looked after by Bishop Beaven but the northern part of the state, or what will be the Lowell diocese needs as its head a prelate of excellent administrative abilities and it is conceded by clergymen and laymen alike that Father Ronan meets all the requirements necessary.

Brother Norbert, formerly John Cowhig who has been conducting the summer school at St. John's college, has been visiting his parents in this city during the past week.

The following is the Catholic calendar for the week:

Aug. 19, Sunday, 11th after Pentecost. St. Joachim; Aug. 20, Monday, St. Bernard, C.; Aug. 21, Tuesday, St. James Frances de Chantel, widow; Aug. 22, Wednesday, of the Octave; Aug. 23, Thursday, St. Philip Benzi, C.; Aug. 24, Friday, St. Bartholomew, Apostle; Aug. 25, Saturday, St. Louis, King of France, C.

One of the prettiest pieces of landscape gardening in the city of Lowell is that of Columbus park, in front of the Immaculate Conception church. Without doubt this church has the prettiest frontage of any church in the country.

It is laid out in a very artistic manner, the entrance to the church being filled in to a height of about six feet. In different parts of the park are figures of different kinds filled in with a variety of beautiful flowers. In the centre of the lawn is a beautiful star which has attracted the attention of many of the passersby, and brought forth abundance of praise for the beautiful flowers and artistic designs.

On the plot at the corner of East Merrimack and Brown streets there are several mounds, one of which is raised three feet with loose stone for a base, and on the mound are several species of flowers. Throughout the garden are many rare and beautiful exotic plants. This park adds greatly to the grandeur of the church, which, in itself, is one of the most magnificent edifices in this part of the country.

No pains or expense have been spared in beautifying the church or the park. The newly purchased land at the corner of Brown and Stackpole streets will be filled in and levelled off. The Oblate fathers own the square bounded by East Merrimack, Fayette, Stackpole and Brown streets, and with this large space affords plenty of light to the church and makes it a very attractive and beautiful place. This church will never be hemmed in by tenement houses or buildings of any nature, with the exception of the building of the Young Men's Catholic Institute.

Much praise is due to Brother Alphonse Marion, O. M. I., who has charge of the premises. Brother Marion is a zealous and untiring worker and is proud of the park of which he has charge. He is ably assisted by Mr. Pevey in his artistic work.

Rev. E. A. Dorgan, O. M. I., of the Immaculate Conception church, who has been enjoying a two weeks' vacation, is expected to return home today, after which he will resume his duties at this church.

Rev. Patrick J. McGrath, O. M. I., of the Immaculate Conception church is improving in health, and is expected to be able to resume his duties at this church at an early day.

Rev. Edmund O'Callahan, O. M. I., of the college of Brownsville, Tex., has been visiting his parents in Boston during the past week, and he made a trip to this city, visiting the parochial residences of the Sacred Heart and Immaculate Conception churches.

Rev. Hugh O'Donnell of Boston was a recent visitor in this city.

Rev. Fr. Curran of Beverly was visiting in this city during the past week.

The Sisters of St. Mary of the Sacred Heart parochial school, have returned from their annual retreat at the mother house at Lockport, N. Y. They arrived in this city yesterday. Sister Martha, who was stationed in Texas last year, will perform the duties of superior, taking the place of Sister St. Joseph, who was superior during the past season. This school will reopen on the same day as the public schools will.

Work on the new Sacred Heart church is progressing rapidly, and the electrical work and plastering is very nearly completed. There will be no delay on account of the death of Architect Ford.

Rev. Eugene A. Carney, a popular curate of St. Michael's church, has been enjoying a week's vacation. Rev. Richard Roland has been performing the entire duties of the church during his absence. It is expected that Fr. Carney will return today.

Rev. Timothy V. Callahan of St. Patrick's church has nearly entirely recovered from his recent illness, and will soon resume his duties at that church.

The Xaverian brothers, who are to teach in the St. Patrick's parochial school in Suffolk street this season are expected to arrive in this city sometime during next week. Brother Matthew, who will be the superior, is busily engaged having their house on Varney street painted on the interior and exterior, and furnishing the entire house. The house has also been papered and many other improvements made. Brother Matthew left for Somerville last evening.

The Grey Nuns of St. Joseph's Girls' college in Moody street are expected to return to this city today. They have been at their summer villa at Tewksbury Centre.

The brothers of St. Joseph's Boys' college in Merrimack street have returned from their annual retreat in Canada.

Rev. Fr. Perrin, O. M. I., of St. Jean Baptiste church, in Merrimack street, is ill in Salem. It is hoped by his parishioners and also his many friends that he will soon recover and be able to resume his duties.

Revs. W. George Mullin and Edward F. Saunders of St. Peter's church interviewed the Cuban teachers when they were in this city, on the adoption of the American system of schools in Cuba. The conversation was conducted in Latin.

It is expected that the new St. Peter's church will be ready for occupancy by Dec. 1.

Rev. Philip Sexton of St. Patrick's church is on his vacation.

Rev. Ed. F. Saunders of St. Peter's church, accompanied by his father, Mr. Edward Saunders, of Tremont street, has started on an extended tour of the South and West.

BURNED TO DEATH

A WOMAN AND A LITTLE GIRL PERISHED.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

METHUEN, Mass., Aug. 18.—Mrs. W. H. Barton and Henrietta Peabody, a girl of 14 living with her were burned to death yesterday noon, their clothes taking fire from a gasoline stove on which they were preparing dinner. The girl ran into the barn and in an attempt to extinguish the fire with hay set fire to the barn, which was destroyed.

NEW ARRIVAL.

Pres. James A. Maguire of the Lowell Reform club is being congratulated upon the arrival of a young son. Mother and child are doing well.

FOUR DROWNED

BY WRECK OF THE LAUNCH AQUILLA.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

SEATTLE, Wash., Aug. 18.—The steamer Humboldt in port from Lynn canal with 96 passengers, 65 of them Klondikers and more than $250,000 in treasure from the Klondike. The largest treasure holder was Clarence Berry with more than $150,000.

Nearly all of the passengers from the Klondike are said to have possessed some dust. Dawson advices dated Aug. 4 report the drowning of four persons by the wreck of the launch Aquilla.

COUNTERFEIT NICKLES

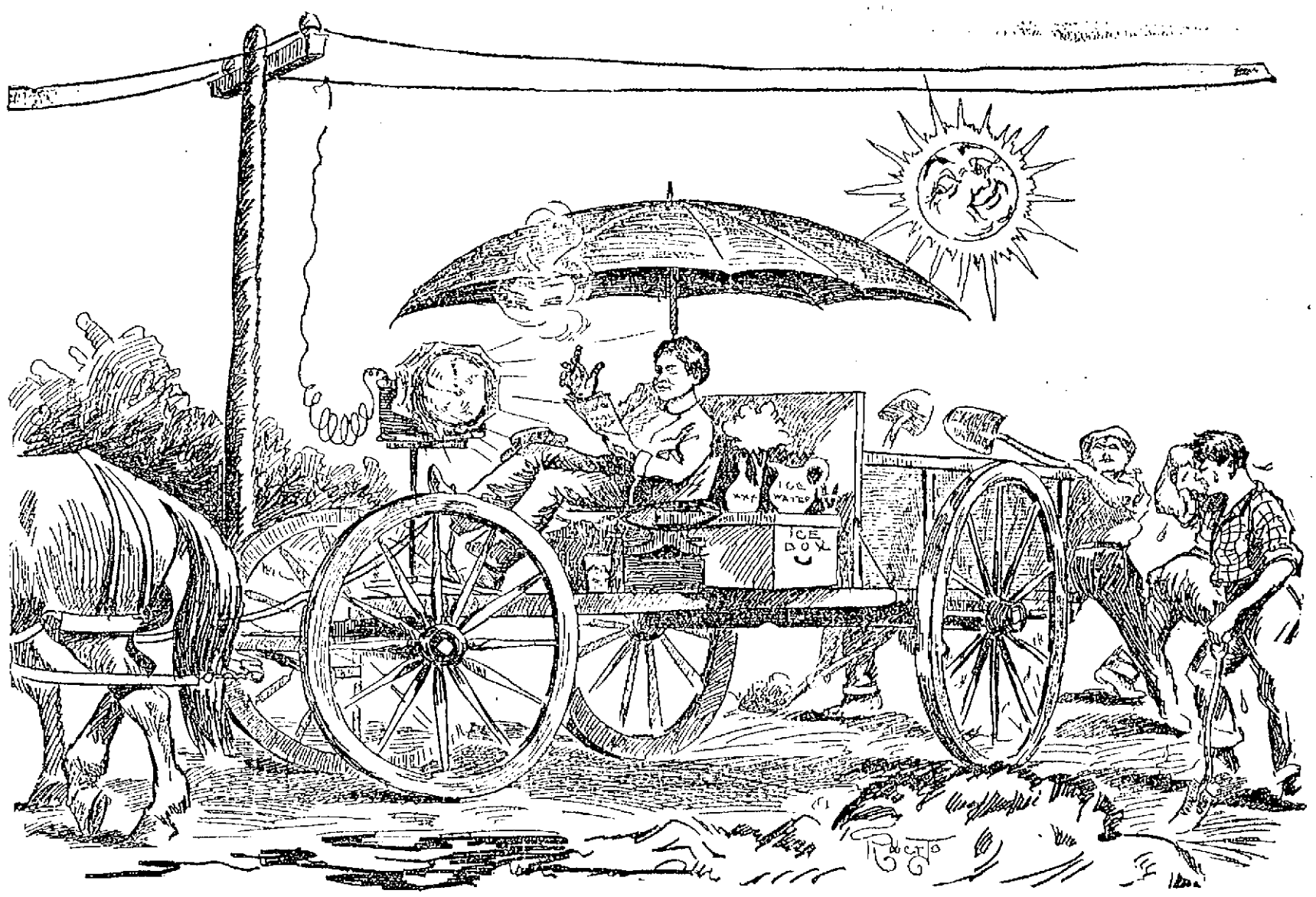
LOWELL PEOPLE BEING FOOLED WITH BAD FIVE CENT PIECES.

A slick counterfeit nickel is in circulation in Lowell. It is made of aluminum, evidently, and is appreciably lighter in weight than the genuine coins and feels smooth and greasy to the touch. Street car conductors are finding them among their fares.

An examination under a magnifying glass shows defects in the lettering, the figures and the hair of the head, but to a casual observer the counterfeit is clever and hard to detect. Local banks have not received any of them yet, but they are on the lookout for them.

OPENED TODAY.

The electric road connecting Bedford and Concord was opened today.



HOW WOULD YOU LIKE TO BE THE DRIVER?

FIRST CITY SHOVELLER—"Say Jim, why is it that the men in this world who do the most work get the least pay? Here we are getting $1.75 while the driver up there doing nothing gets $2.00. Wouldn't you like to be the driver?"

SECOND SHOVELLER—"Indeed I would, especially since they have been allowed to read newspapers and novels while we load the teams."

FIRST SHOVELLER—"O that's nothing Jim, I hear they are to be furnished with ice water, bouquets and electric fans. Faith, I'd like to be the driver."

PERSONALS

Thomas O'Hern of Lowell is visiting his parents in Dover, N. H.

Arthur Brown of High street, Lawrence, is on a visit to this city.

John Denner of Lawrence was a recent visitor here.

Mr. Charles Dupris of the Bon Marche is on his vacation.

Miss Josephine Quinn of Chapel street is sojourning at Old Orchard.

Miss Lilias Ingalls is spending her vacation in the provinces.

Police Officer John Walsh is enjoying his vacation at Chazy, N. Y.

Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Shaw, the milliners, have gone to Maine on their vacation.

Mr. John Slack and family will spend the next 15 days at Salisbury beach.

Misses Lizzie McLaughlin and Mamie McCarthy have gone to New York city for a vacation of several weeks.

Miss Ellen O'Leary, matron of the Kirk Street Day Nursery, will spend her vacation at Eastport, Me.

Mrs. Charles Austin of the Bon Marche is enjoying "old home week" in New Hampshire.

Mrs. George H. Allard has returned from a two weeks' vacation at Crescent beach.

Misses Kittie King and Christina Kane of this city are enjoying the exhilirating breezes of Winthrop beach.

Mr. Harry Kelley of Union street has returned from an enjoyable sojourn in the Green Mountain State.

Misses Margaret Riley and Elizabeth McMahon of Cedar street are spending a few weeks at York beach, Me.

Miss Jennie L. O'Donoghue of Claire street is enjoying the invigorating breezes at Old Orchard.

Mrs. Thomas Higgins and daughter Margaret are spending a two weeks' vacation at Crescent beach.

Miss Emma Carroll and Miss Margaret Sullivan of Lowell, are visiting friends in Portland, Me.

Mrs. Lilla Berry of Lynn is a guest at ex-Councilman A. B. Busca's, on Billerica street, Chelmsford.

Mrs. M. R. Clifford and daughter, Elnora, have gone to North Vassalboro, Me., for a short stay.

Charles E. Tilton will leave on Monday for Rockland, Me., where he will enjoy a month's vacation.

Ex-Alderman James F. Miskella is enjoying life at New York and Atlantic City.

Miss Alice Myers of the city library sailed on the Saxonia this afternoon for an extended European trip.

Dr. and Mrs. George L. Van Duersen have arrived home from Peterboro, N. H.

Dr. and Mrs. Joseph N. Marston and son arrived home in Lowell last night from Edinburg, Scotland.

Miss Edna E. Hanson has gone to Wentworth, N. H., for a three weeks' vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Adams are at the Langsford house, Cape Porpoise, Me., for the rest of August.

Operator James Howard of the police signal service is on his annual vacation.

Messrs. Francois Lacouture, Francis Lambert and Zeron Page are rusticating at Long pond.

Miss Ernestine Alexander has returned from a visit to Holyoke and West Boylston.

Miss Emma C. Bruce of Bondsville is visiting at the home of her aunt, Mrs. Albert Dege, in Fairmount street.

Misses Louise and Florence Parker and Miss Myra Trueworthy will spend the last two weeks in August at Salem Willows.

Mr. John Murphy, the tonsorial artist at Anderson's Lincoln square barber shop, has returned from a meeting of the Pine Tree State grange. He inspected several specimens of high grade cattle while in Maine, but was particularly impressed with the "short horn" variety.

Mr. and Mrs. George H. Wood have returned from a visit to the Rangely Lakes. Mr. Wood reports the fishing good.

Mrs. F. A. French and her daughters, Misses Eva and Mildred, of 213 Parkview avenue, have gone to Maine and New Hampshire.

Police Officer John Freeman and family are enjoying their vacation in Cincinnati and other points of interest in the Buckeye State.

Mrs. Edmund Tetley of Lawrence and her daughter, Miss Gertrude Tetley of Lowell, are guests of the Rev. Edmund B. Tetley of Orr's Island, Me.

Miss Grace Darling of Liberty street, accompanied by her uncle, is enjoying a sojourn at points of interest along the New England sea coast.

Misses Alice L. Adie and Annie G. Donoghue have returned from a month's sojourn at Sharon Springs, N. Y.

Miss Hicks of Gates street will spend the next two weeks at Providence and Narragansett Pier as the guest of her cousin, Miss Johnson.

Miss Adelaide E. Noyes left today for Middleboro to be the guest of Dr. Geo. M. Clark and family. She will be away a week.

Miss Nellie M. Drown and Miss Nellie B. Chitty are enjoying the salt air during their three weeks' vacation at Old Kennebunkport, Me.

Miss Jennie Todd of Walden street is attending the Epworth league convention at Sterling, Mass., and will be there during the remainder of August.

Letter Carrier John Ewing and his sister, Miss Lena Ewing, will enjoy a vacation of two weeks at Carlisle lake, Salem, N. H.

Messrs. Charles H. Foye and Thomas A. Ginty of the Lawton club have returned from an enjoyable vacation at Shawa Springs, N. Y.

Major Cossette and Edward Boulanger of the Bon Marche are enjoying sea faring life at Nantucket on their vacation.

Mr. George A. Dickey and wife and sister, Mrs. O. T. Wilkins, and Mr. Walter Adams and wife are on a two weeks' vacation at Hill's beach, Old Orchard.

Rev. Charles H. Wilcox, wife and son of Lawrenceville, N. J., are visiting for a few days at the home of Dr. J. J. Colton in Varnum avenue, Pawtucketville.

The Misses Laura A. D. Lord, Lydia H. Mahoney and Genevieve A. McConnor of Lawrence, are among the successful applicants for admission to the Lowell Training school.

The Misses Nellie M. O'Brien and Florence M. Prevost, have returned from a very enjoyable vacation, alternating between the seashore and the mountains.

Letter Carrier J. William Maguire and wife have returned from a most delightful sojourn of 15 days at Crescent beach and vicinity.

Mr. Guy V. S. Stapleford, who has been spending a few weeks in Oakland, Me., has arrived at his home, 225 Walker street, accompanied by his bride.

Mr. D. H. Dickinson and little daughter, Agnes, of 12 Mammoth road, have returned from a very pleasant trip to North Adams, Mass., accompanied by Miss Bernice McIntyre of that place.

Mr. L. E. Pullen, advertising manager of the J. C. Ayer company, has gone to Detroit with a party of advertising men who will be entertained by one of the newspapers in that city.

Mrs. Henry C. Wilder of Puffer avenue, is at Asbury grove, where she will spend the month of August as the guest of her daughter, Mrs. N. H. Hovey of Winchester.

The Lowell people registered at New York hotels during Wednesday, included Misses Curran, P. L. and W. Gregoire, Miss A. Higgins, T. Southam, Broadway Central, A. W. Moore Grand Union.

Fraulein Mueller, formerly German instructor in Rogers Hall school, who has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. George W. Hobson of East Merrimack street, has left for the Berkshire hills.

Mr. William F. Hills vice president of the Traders National bank, will, with Mrs. Hills, make a tour of Europe this fall. They sail from New York next Saturday on the Cunard steamer Lucania.

Miss Annie Omrod Ramsay, eldest daughter of James P. Ramsay, of Thorndike street, has gone to New York for six weeks, and while there will be employed in Johnson's wholesale millinery house.

The following are among the members of the police force who are now enjoying their vacation: Officers McCann, Kiernan, Healey and Gauley. The latter is enjoying his annual sojourn at Hull.

Mr. and Mrs. David Williams and family of Hazleton, Pa., are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Edmonds of Beacon street. Mr. Williams formerly worked in Lowell in connection with the installation of the block signal system on the Boston and Maine railroad.

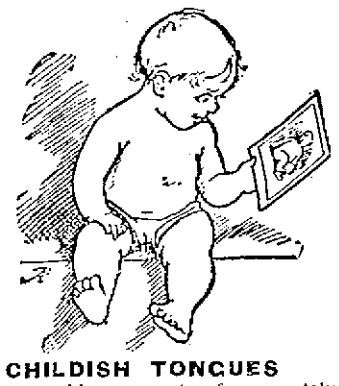
Mr. Sumner Williams, the popular clerk at Ellingwood's Tower corner pharmacy, with wife and child, have returned from a very enjoyable vacation of one week at Lake Whalon, Fitchburg.

Letter Carrier William Higgins and wife have returned from a very enjoyable sojourn in Boston and vicinity. Mr. Higgins was a resident of Boston for six years and took this opportunity to renew acquaintances with old-time friends.

The following guests are registered at the Newark house, Salisbury beach: Charles P. Smith, P. Noonan, John Dalton, Joseph F. Corcoran, John F. Murray, Thomas S. Cuff, Hugh Farley, Walter S. King, Frank B. Burns, John J. Kelleher, John B. Bouliger, Belvidere club, Lowell; Walter F. Connolly, Lowell; Wilmer Conneran, M. E. Conneran, Collinsville; James E. Burns, Lowell.

EPWORTH LEAGUE DAY.

Thursday was Epworth league day at the Methodist camp meeting at The Weirs, N. H. Mrs. Annie E. Smiley of this city was one of the speakers.



CHILDISH TONGUES

Lisp our praise, for we take pictures of the little ones that live in the memory.

Bring in the Little Folks

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WITH DEWEY.

MEMBER OF OLYMPIA'S CREW VISITING IN LOWELL.

Frederick E. Allicz, a seaman who was in the battle of Manila, is in the city visiting his friend, Moses Forget of Lakeview avenue. Mr. Allicz was in the battle of Manila on board the Olympia and tells an interesting story of his experiences in the Philippines, and his story of the battle, in which he participated, is very interesting indeed. He understands the situation in those faraway islands to perfection.

Mr. Allicz has been in the navy for several years, and it is probable that he will re-enlist within a short period. A collection which he made of curiosities are on exhibition in the store of Mr. Forget on Lakeview avenue.

APPOINTED OVERSEER.

Mr. P. Quinn, who during the past 10 years has been employed as second-hand of the dry finishing department of the Middlesex mills, has been promoted to the position of overseer of that department, lately made vacant by the retirement of Mr. William G. Frantz. The Middlesex Co. divides the finishing process into two distinct departments; the "wet" and "dry" finishing. Specking, baling, shearing, pressing, examining, etc., came under the head of "dry" finishing of which Mr. Frantz has had charge being now succeeded by Mr. Quinn. Overseer O. Comstock holds the responsible position of "wet" finisher; wet finishing department consists of carbonizing, scouring, fulling gigging, steaming, etc.

Agent Saunders' policy of promotion when justified by merit is most commendable; as it tends to encourage men holding subordinate positions, to put forth their best efforts.

DESTROYED BY FIRE.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

GREENVILLE, N. H., Aug. 18.—The house of Geo. Anderson of Highbridge, two miles from New Ipswich, was totally burned, with contents, yesterday afternoon. The cause is unknown. Loss, $2500. No insurance.

REMARKABLE RECORD

DR. THOMPSON'S

Invention All That Was Hoped for. A Healthy Man's Life Can be Prolonged to 120 Years and Perhaps Longer.

During the last seven weeks, I have taken the treatment of 81 persons who had failed to get any relief after years of trial: it came in during the last week. Of the 69 supposed hopeless cases, 22 have been discharged cured. Ninety per cent. of the other 47 will recover. We cannot cure an organic disease. I could never have favorably effected these cases with medicine alone. Medicine and the vitalizer together have produced the most marvelous results. I would be pleased if the physicians of Lowell will test me on a dozen incurable cases, not in organic disease, which I will treat free of charge. References ready.

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36 Varney Street.
Afternoon and Evening.



A Business Proposition.

A successful business career cannot be achieved without sound health. The business man should guard his health as he guards his capital; for health is part of his capital and the impairment of that capital affects every business interest. A sedentary occupation and quick lunches, soon show their effects in a sluggish liver. The use of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery will cure "liver trouble" as well as indigestion and other diseases of the organs of digestion and nutrition.

The "Discovery" strengthens the body by supplying Nature with strength making materials. It contains no whisky, alcohol or other intoxicant.

"After three years of suffering with liver trouble and malaria," writes Mr. Edward Jacobs, of Marengo, Crawford Co., Indiana, "I gave up all hopes of ever getting stout again, and the last chance was to try your medicine. I had tried all the home doctors and received but little relief. After taking three bottles of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery and one vial of his 'Pleasant Pellets' I am stout and hearty. It is due entirely to your wonderful medicines."

Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets assist the action of "Golden Medical Discovery."

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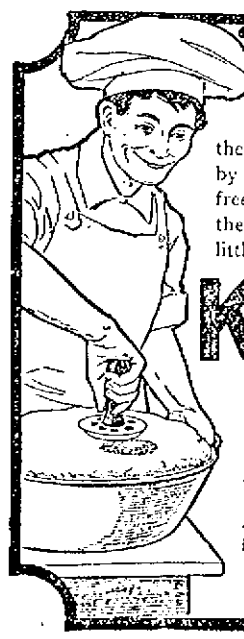
100 Sumatra Rugs, 30x60, going at

$1 Each

24 Art Squares, regular price $6.36,

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By its use, this little device — simple and indestructible — will make whiter bread, lighter bread, and a larger loaf, than *you* ever made before.

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Advertising is not a game of chance, it is a game of skill. The skill in advertising is to prepare good, attractive and truthful advertisements, and then place them where they will receive the widest publicity, for the least money.

This can be done only by using the papers with the largest circulation, in the field you wish to cover.

The Sun has a larger circulation than any two other papers in Lowell.

It is in every way ☞ ...Lowell's Greatest Newspaper...

CAMPAIGN MATERIAL.

The budget of letters and correspondence which the war department reported to have been taken from the baggage of Aguinaldo about the time the wardrobe of that patriot's wife was captured, has been partly made public. It was alleged at the time that there was a communication from Senator Hoar, and one it was thought from Edward Atkinson. The most treasonable has been given out and it proves to be a silly production from an old Englishman named Leverson, who resides at Fort Hamilton, N. Y., and who has had a penchant for seeking notoriety by such communications. The letters have been held until the present in order that they might serve for campaign purposes. Mark Hanna will undoubtedly write to Funston or MacArthur for more of them. Somebody will be set to work to manufacture bogus letters as productions sent by anti-imperialists. Since the endorsement of Bryan by the anti-imperialists at Indianapolis, Hanna is frantic and McKinley is fast losing even the hope of re-election, owing to the wonderful exodus of republican leaders to join the democrats in the onward march to victory.

SMOOTH PAVING.

The trick by which competition was always shut out on the paving contracts was the putting in the resolution a clause providing that only a certain kind of smooth paving should be used. When "Smooth Bob" was laying the asphaltina, the resolutions called for bids on asphaltina, and none but the Boston Paving company could bid. When "Smooth Bob" fell out with the Boston Paving company and started to sue them for "commissions," the resolutions that were sent into the city council read "Trinidad Lake asphalt," thus shutting out all companies that did not use that particular brand. The mayor's attention was called to the discrimination in each case; but he threw up his hands in indignation and said "the gentlemen of the city council know what kind of a resolution they are passing, and I will not interfere with them. This course has brought the mayor to his present ridiculous attitude on smooth paving.

A correspondent informs the Sun that some of the bar rooms are allowing minors to enter their places and drink same as adults. There is also a relaxation in the regulation regarding women entering and sitting in the saloons. The police should look into the matter.

THE SCHOOL BOARD.

The people of Lowell who read the article in yesterday's Sun upon the action of the school board at their last meeting approve of everything said therein and some go even farther and say they will take more direct steps to bring the school board and the superintendent to a sense of their obligation to the public. They say that Mr. Whitcomb is paid altogether too much in getting as much as the mayor of the city, while his chief concern seems to be to attend public meetings at a distance and draw upon the city for his expenses. The matter will receive attention later on.

BRYAN'S CABINET.

The republican press is already discussing where Bryan would get material for his cabinet. Alas! how solicitous they are for the country. They can rest assured that Bryan will have men rather than toadies for his cabinet officers; he will not be the tool of any boodler like Mark Hanna nor of the trusts and combines, as is McKinley. Bryan will be president and he will select a cabinet that will protect the American republic and all its interests—men who will have due regard for the enforcement of the law and for the constitution of the United States.

McKinley and his followers are in despair and Mark Hanna cannot save them.

THE CHINESE SITUATION.

The allies are reported to have entered Pekin and put the cowardly Boxers to flight. The leaders should suffer. The Boxers are the worst kind of fanatics that has ever appeared in any country and they must be punished for the slaughter of Christians. China is on her knees begging, but her appeals and protestations should receive but little consideration until full reparation shall have been made for the slaughter of Christians and the indignity and damage to the ministers and the citizens of other nations.

CROWDING STREET CARS.

The crowding of street cars should be stopped. When people go out for pleasure they should not be subjected to the pressure of several passengers resting upon their shoulders, crowding them on either side and in front. Some street car companies have made a rule that only five shall sit in the same seat and that passengers shall not stand on the foot boards. That makes a ride on the electric cars enjoyable, but it will apparently be some time before the syndicate controlling the street cars around Lowell will have these advantages.

The epidemic of diphtheria is more alarming than the few cases of smallpox. What can be the cause? Bad streets and lack of proper sewerage are the only causes thus far assigned. The superintendent of streets and the health department are the parties on whom responsibility rest.

General De Wet has fooled Kitchener again and joined forces with General Delarey. Now Kitchener will order a right about wheel as he would be annihilated if he came in contact with the forces under both the Boer generals.

The late ex-Senator John J. Ingalls was a son of Massachusetts, a brilliant man in many ways, a distinguished orator and writer, who, however, has left nothing of a permanent character to perpetuate his name.

It is deplorable that there is an outbreak of race feeling in New York. It started in New Orleans. New York has taken up the matter and as a result trouble may ensue in other cities.

Robert Treat Paine, as was expected, will again run for governor of Massachusetts. He is a bright young man and would make an excellent governor.

Young William Bryan is the only disturbing element in the Bryan family. In working off his surplus energy he annoys many of those around him.

CRISP GOSSIP

Every politician regards himself as the paramount thing.

The weather man of late has been a veritable Dr. Jeykll and Mr. Hyde.

The hair grows considerably faster in summer than in winter.

The price of flour has gone down $1 a barrel.

Now the native peaches are coming into the market.

The German emperor possesses in all 111 residences.

Lowell people are reading less fiction and more history which is a direct result of the war.

More steel is used in the manufacture of pens than in all the sword and gun factories of the world.

Fifty thousand typhus germs will thrive in the small circumference of a pinhead.

Don't fret about the weather. There will be snow enough to shovel next winter.

The water in the Merrimack and Concord rivers has been increased materially by the late rain.

Happy is the man who is sure there is one woman who has unlimited faith in what he can accomplish.

Two of the greatest literary productions of the Chinese are a dictionary in 520 volumes and an encyclopedia in 2,537 volumes.

The United States is ahead of all other countries in the art of making artificial teeth. It is computed that 6,000,000 are fabricated here annually.

The theory that appendicitis is often caused by the habit of sitting with the legs crossed should be borne sedulously in mind by men who ride in street cars.

Let the girls spend all the time they want in doing up their hair. In a few years more they will twist it in a tight little knot in order to have more time to curl their childrens hair.

Candidates for the royal Irish constabulary must be nominated by the lord lieutenant through a member of parliament. The limits of age are 21 to 26, minimum height, 5 feet 5 inches.

A man may have opinions of his own about the ideal woman, but when it comes to marrying, a plain, every-day girl is apt to know more about good housekeeping.

The common German hen lays about 560 or 630 eggs in 10 years. In the first year the number is only 10 to 20; in the second, third and fourth, 100 to 135 each, whence it again diminishes to 10 in the last year.

Thomas Muncey, aged 99 years, died the other day at his home in Little Creek, Ind. He never saw a railroad train, never used tobacco, and never drank liquor. Little Creek is not on a railway line.

How ill most women reckon men!
To bonds fast bound by burdens not their own,
Stretching soft palms; resentful when
That bold fore rank must stand or fall alone.

Her inward look misunderstands
Too oft, the hill top of his wider view—
Too oft she broods in shadow lands,
While his wings flash between the sun and dew!

Facing the worst, he hopes the best
Singing he works—while women bid him pray;
The wrong his busy arms arrest,
Her faith commits unto a higher way.

Her heart for passion's answer cries
Unto a heart, that for love's sake divides
Delight with duty; be he wise
His soul a secret hid in self abides.

Yet if she knew—would God she knew!
Through solitude, through folly and through strife,
Her touch keeps that lone spirit true
And hers the gift men part with last—their life!

Evidently the Head of the House—No, said the man at the door, I have no views on politics. Well, returned the political canvasser, in that case I'd like to interview your wife.

A pet maltese cat belonging to an English woman has been successfully provided with spectacles to counteract failing eyesight. A picture of a mouse was used by the oculist to test the cat' eyes.

A Kansas man has struck a new way of getting a living. He has a flock of 68 turkeys, which, in consideration of board for himself he moves from one farm to another, where they clean up the grasshoppers with which the farms of that section are infested.

In Vienna telephone booths, it is said, are furnished with napkins bearing the inscription, "Wipe, if you please." The napkins are changed frequently and this undoubtedly serves to keep the mouthpieces of the transmitters in good sanitary condition.

It is a curious fact, that despite the general knowledge of the deadly powers of high tension electric currents and their well known use for executing criminals there is no record of a deliberate suicide by electric shock.

J. J. Corbett, who at one time made such a striking impression in the prize ring, is going to become a Shakespearian actor. The dramatic papers announce that he is going to "do" Romeo. The chances are that Romeo will be done pretty badly in the first round.

Four more open air concerts are booked for North Billerica by the Talbot Mill band. It is hoped that the street car management will have a little consideration for its patrons on band concert nights and furnish proper car accommodations. No overcrowding.

"Some people think a person isn't working," said the wise one, "unless the form of labor involves coal shoveling or sawing wood or something of that kind, but it seems to me that the young woman typewriter does about as much for the money she receives as could be expected. This is something that one can prove by statistics. I have reckoned the thing up and as nearly as I can get at it the average typewriter carriage weighs about four pounds. An operator will lift this carriage five times a minute. This means that she lifts 20 pounds each minutes or 1200 pounds every hour. If she doesn't work but eight hours a day she will have lifted nearly five tons. Just think of a poor girl lifting that amount daily.

COMMUNICATIONS

TEAM RACING.

Editor Sun: What was the fastest time made by John R. Gentry and Robert J., in team for a mile? I would also like to know where the race was held and the date.

OLD SPORT.

John R. Gentry and Robert J., in team, did a mile in 2.08, Oct. 8, 1896, at Glen Falls, N. Y.

WASHINGTON'S CABINET.

Editor Sun:—Could you please inform me how many members there were in Washington's first cabinet and who they were.

SUBSCRIBER.

Washington had four members in his cabinet, namely: Thomas Jefferson, secretary of state, Alexander Hamilton, secretary of the treasury; Henry Knox, secretary of war, and Edmund Randolph, attorney general. Samuel Osgood was postmaster general during Washington's first administration, but the postmaster general was not considered a cabinet officer until 1829.

PRESIDENT'S SALARY.

Editor Sun:—What is the salary of the president of the French republic?

READER.

The annual allowance to the president of the French republic is 600,000 francs, with a further allowance of 600,000 francs for his expenses. Six hundred thousand francs is equal to $115,800 in American money.

POPULATION OF SECTS.

Editor Sun:—What is the relative population of the United States of America religiously? I bet that all the other religions outnumber the Catholics 10 to 1. Taking all the religions that are not Catholic into consideration, please state in next issue and oblige.

D. F. TINLEY.

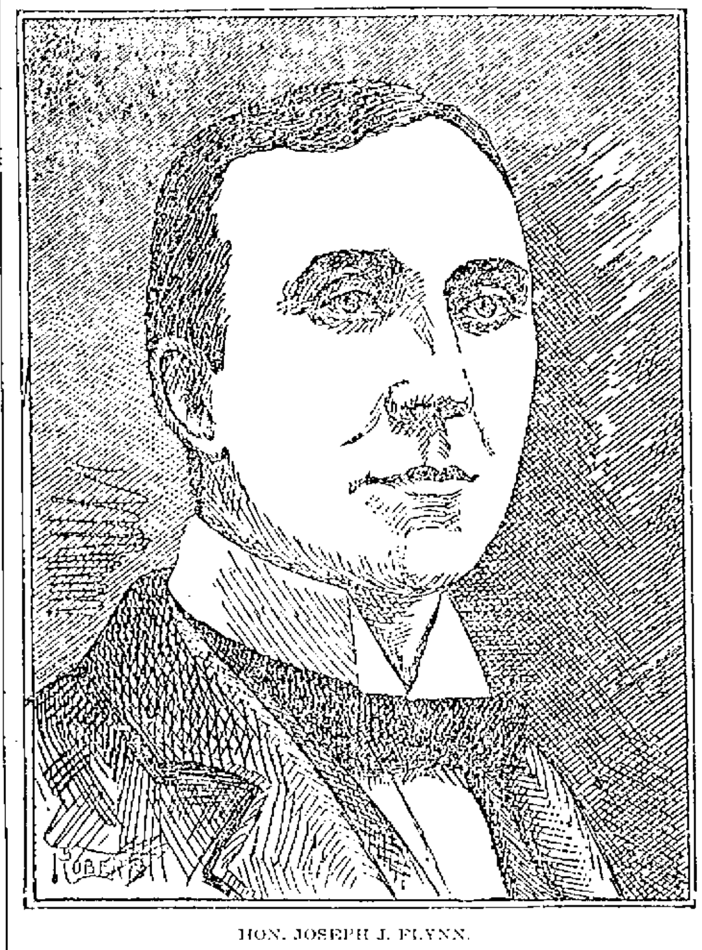
The total number of communicants of all denominations in the United States is 27,714,523. Of that number 8,677,178 are Catholics. This leaves 19,037,345 comprising all denominations other than the Catholic. You lose your bet.

TAKEN TO TEWKSBURY.

Ernest Holden, who has been in the hands of the police since Tuesday, was taken to the state almshouse by Martin J. Courtney, secretary of overseers of poor. The police were unable to find his parents or home.

FOR CONGRESS

Knox Toasts His Successor and Fights Him



HON. JOSEPH J. FLYNN.

The Democratic Candidate for Congress in 5th District.

In 1898 Knox Said He Would Run No More—In 1900 He's Running Faster Than His Opponents—How Each Candidate Might Defeat the Other Two

Let the campaign proceed uninterrupted! Butler Ames has denied the report that he employes non-union labor in his faraway tobacco factory in Perto Rico, and consequently it is "all off" with Messrs. Knox and Pickman.

It was a master stroke on Butler's part to set the public mind at rest regarding the help in that tobacco factory, and yet his friends will worry.

As the days go by and the real working days of the campaign approach, the increasing strength of William S. Knox in Lowell becomes more apparent, while the intentions of Judge Pickman become enshrouded in deeper mystery. The judge is still a candidate and his lieutenants are working, half heartedly and without system, it is true, for they have not received the proper encouragement. But ask any of them concerning Pickman's chances and you will be told that if Pickman will start now and work only half as hard as his opponents are working he will carry off the nomination.

Mr. Knox is losing no time in gaining strength that will get him delegates, his lieutenants, particularly Byron Truell of Lawrence, are also hustling untiringly. It doesn't take a great stretch of memory to go back to 1898 and recall a celebrated statement by Mr. Truell, who said: "I want Knox elected this time for it is the last time he will be a candidate for congress, and it is the last political fight in which I shall participate actively."

While recalling happenings in 1898, I recollect a little party at the Richardson house where wining and dining went on with Congressman Knox as the central figure and Hon. Fred Lawton of this city, then the recognized successor to Knox, in the party. Filling his glass with something better than Harvard, Congressman Knox arose and said: "I propose that we drink to the health of my successor, the next congressman from Lowell." All rose and drank while Judge Lawton sat with head modestly bowed. On another occasion in this city Congressman Knox filled another glass with something stronger than Harvard, and said: "To the health of my successor, our next congressman from Lowell."

All who heard Congressman Knox gave these toasts, and the temperance people need not throw up their hands in holy horror, for congressmen will drink toasts, firmly believed that he would this year turn around and help a Lowell candidate and they were greatly surprised, to say the least, upon learning that Congressman Knox, despite his pretty sayings of two years ago, was about to seek another term. There is no question that he is seeking the office. He is several laps ahead of the Lowell candidates at this writing.

If I were running the campaign of Butler Ames, which happily, perhaps, I am not, I would give Congressman Knox, the Spanish-American war, until he was thoroughly sick of running against my hero-candidate. While Colonel Ames was leading the gallant Sixth in Porto Rico, with his eyes and thoughts upon the flag and a good site for a cigar factory, what was Knox doing for the poor half-fed soldiers who were following Ames to the front?

"Nary" a thing!

What did he ever do for any of the soldiers? Nothing!

The only member in congress who did anything for the Massachusetts soldiers was one of the Massachusetts democrats in congress, Hon. John F. Fitzgerald of Boston, and any soldier will bear out that statement.

Congressman Fitzgerald worked day in and day out for the soldiers, but Congressman Knox, with the Sixth and Ninth regiments in his district never bothered his head about them.

It is said that Congressman Knox disregarded letters sent him asking him to assist the soldiers. But the other republicans from Massachusetts were as bad. It was in line with the administration's policy to feed the soldiers on putrid meat to help out a trust and any soldier who votes the republican ticket only invites a repetition of what he received, for the unfortunate soldier of the future.

If I were conducting Pickman's campaign I would put him on the stump and challenge each of the others to a joint debate on any old thing just to get them making speeches.

Were I in charge of the Knox campaign I'd pull A. G. Thompson off the Training school fight, place my affairs in his hands and take chances.

A DELIGHTFUL MUSICALE.

A delightful musicale was given at the home of Miss Henrietta Willey of Appleton street Thursday evening. Her voice of sympathetic quality was heard to advantage in Mascagni's "Till Death I Love You," and "Ave Maria," and J. C. Bartlett's "Winona" and "A Dream." Mr. George A. Willey presided at the piano and Prof. D. Moyer Staley of the Boston School of Expression, gave several choice readings.



SWEET RESTORERS.

SLEEP cannot be imitated except in appearance, neither can Ivory Soap. There are other white soaps that look like Ivory Soap, this is a penalty which it pays for its great success. But you are not deceived, there is only one Ivory, the others are imitations of its perfections.

99 44/100 PER CENT. PURE.

OUR ASSESSORS

Some Irregularities Discovered in Their Methods

OVER ONE HUNDRED GREEKS ASSESSED

From Market Street Grocery Store

WHICH WOULD NOT ACCOMMODATE FIVE

Many Assessed in Two Cities

The recent disclosures regarding the assessment of 11 men from a bar-room on Union street has called public attention to the methods of the assessors and at first sight would seem to be a most inaccountable inaccuracy. But when one looks more carefully into the matter the blunder or whatever it was does not appear so tremendous.

In this case Assistant Assessor Riley, it is said, has explained that the list of names assessed from 19 Union street was given him and he supposed it to be correct. It is neither new nor unusual for the principal assessors to make out the assessments from lists furnished them by people supposed to be familiar with certain dwelling places. For instance, the keepers of boarding houses frequently give the assessors lists of their boarders, the lists containing any where from 10 to 100 names.

But the discovery of 11 names assessed from a bar-room with a tenement over it on Union street is nothing compared to a state of affairs existing in the Greek quarter in Market street.

From a little grocery store not 20 feet square at the corner of Market and Lewis street the names of 113 Greeks are assessed. The entrance to the store is numbered 398 Market street and the store even though it may be the custom of Greeks to sleep in their stores, could not accommodate one-twentieth part of the number who gave their residences there.

Last year 101 Greeks were assessed from the same little grocery store.

The Sun reporter saw Assistant-Assessor Garvey who covered the district and he said: "I did not bring in those names to the assessors. Last year Prof. Iatros was appointed to look after the Greeks in my district by the assessors. This year it seems Constable McManus gathered the names. When I went to the number given and found it to be a little grocery store, I immediately reported it to the principal assessors for I did not want to have irregularities in my district. Those Greeks certainly do not reside at 398 Market street for there is no room for them in that place.

The principal assessors informed The Sun reporter that Constable McManus had been regularly appointed to do assessorial work in the Greek colony and had furnished the list of names to which the reporter referred. They knew nothing further about the matter.

Irregularities of this kind are frequent in cities like Lowell with a large migratory population. Mill employes move to different sections of the city as they change their working places and as a result are often assessed from two residences, giving the assessors considerable work and sometimes creating considerable trouble for the one assessed.

Some time ago a certain employe of City Hall held a position as the representative of a certain ward while his wife and family resided in another ward, the office holder living and maintaining a furnished room in the ward in which he was assessed and registered. An attempt was made to remove him from office on the ground that he did not reside in the ward in which he was registered. He was not removed, however, because the authority sought stated that a man did not necessarily have to live with or vote from the house occupied by his wife and family.

Another instance of frequent occurrence where men have trouble over assessment and registration is in the case of one whose home is in another city but whose work is in Lowell. He is on the voting list in his own city and after being here the required length of time is assessed in this city. If he attempts to vote in one city while paying a poll tax in another he will come to grief if discovered and such discoveries are inevitable. A man must be assessed and registered in one city; he cannot "split."

At the present time the assessors are busy determining how much each taxpayer owes the city under the new rate. The big taxpayers will find a welcome reduction in their bills this year though not as great as should be.

YOU CAN BUY A

White Mountain Refrigerator

FOR **$4.98** TODAY.

At A. E. O'HEIR & CO., 14-16-18 Merrimack St.,

Near Electric Car Waiting Room.

The People's Favorite Furniture Store,



PUTNAM & SON

166 Central Street.

Are you going out of town Saturday?

STRIPED FLANNEL TROUSERS, a small lot separated from the coats—worth as much as ever, but priced lower, **$2.95**

STRIPED FLANNEL SUITS, that is, coat and trousers, our make or from Rogers, Peet & Co. Genteel styles, coats single or double breasted, $14.50 and **$7.50**

All of the choicest SUMMER NECKWEAR, imperials, four-in-hands and bat-wings, Evans' imported rumchundas included, to close for **39c**

A DOZEN LOTS of very attractive fancy half hose that sold for thirty-five and forty-eight cents, have been marked down to fill the stock, at **23c**

TWO HUNDRED DOZENS of the men's four-ply collars, all that we can muster from the great stock put on sale two weeks ago. All sizes in some style or other, and shapes to choose from.

Collars for 7c each; 1-2 doz. 38c. Cuffs, for a pair, 10c; 1-2 doz. pairs, 55c

A SUIT CASE to hold your traps? Good sorts here. "Alligator"—that is, look like alligator, made from sole leather, $5.95. **Real Sole leather,** linen lined, straps or brass catches, steel frames, good enough to stand ten years of hanging **$4.75**

Another "Alligator" case, isn't leather but you wouldn't know it if we didn't tell you **$3.95**

Cases that look like leather, but aren't; strong waterproof, and finished with brass catches and brass lock **$1.95**

There are 20 dozens only of the **19c** balbriggan underwear. We got it two weeks ago, but the price has moved it, and today will probably clear it out. There's every size, including stout drawers for short men, in our special balbriggan at **48c**



We've yet to find underwear sold for seventy-five cents that is as good as this.

From Yesterday's Late Editions.

RELIEF SHIP

After Peary Expedition Sighted Off Labrador

By Associated Press to The Sun.

GLOUCESTER, Mass., Aug. 17.—Captain James Hayes, of the Gloucester fishing schooner Admiral Dewey, which arrived here today, reports that on August 2, when in latitude 55.10, longitude 51.26, about 100 miles southeast of Cape Harrison, Labrador coast, sighted the Peary relief ship Windward. The Windward was sailing in a northerly direction, bound for Baffin's Island. The captain of the Windward signalled "All's well." The Admiral Dewey was on a halibut fishing trip and they went farther northward than any vessel from this port engaged in the same fisheries.

BOLD ATTEMPT

To Burn and Pillage a Village

By Associated Press to The Sun.

SMITHFIELD, Ill., Aug. 17. A deliberate attempt was made at midnight to burn and pillage this village. Only the combined efforts of the 1050 inhabitants saved the place from destruction. The fire was discovered in the Robertson grocery. It spread rapidly. There is no fire department here and before the bucket brigade formed could check the flames, 12 business houses in the centre of the town had been destroyed, together with their contents. As they were all frame buildings, the losses will not exceed $35,000. Fully insured.

In several houses near the scene of the fire the incendiaries were discovered trying to gather up valuables left by the citizens in the excitement attending the fire. They were driven out half a dozen houses and finally escaped from town in a carriage before the inhabitants realized that an attempt at wholesale looting had been made.

MANGLED BODY

Of a Man Found in Freight Yard

HEAD CRUSHED BEYOND RECOGNITION

Man Was Probably Stealing a Ride

By Associated Press to The Sun.

SOUTH FRAMINGHAM, Aug. 17.—The body of a man terribly mangled was found in the freight yard here early this morning. Both legs, arms and feet had been cut off, and the head was crushed beyond recognition. In the hat, which had been knocked off, was found a card bearing the name of "John Healy, care of James Ellis, corner of B street, South Boston." The man was poorly dressed and had evidently been stealing a ride.

BOTH DROWNED

Two Young Ladies Were in Bathing

ONE OF THE VICTIMS WAS DROWNING

And Grabbed Her Sister by the Throat

By Associated Press to The Sun.

NEW YORK, Aug. 17.—The particulars of the drowning of the Misses Eugenia and Virginia Brandeth in Wales are contained in a London cable printed here today. The young ladies were daughters of Henry Brandeth, European manager of the Allcock Mfg. company and granddaughters of the late Benjamin Brandeth of Sing Sing, N. Y.

A family party consisting of the Eugenie and Virginia, two younger brothers and a sister, went swimming Wednesday in the river which flows through the grounds of Mr. Brandeth's Welsh home. Miss Eugenie, who was 22 years old, got into difficulty in a deep hole and her elder sister went to her assistance.

For several minutes they struggled together in silence when suddenly the dying Virginia got a grip on her sister's throat. Eugenia had just time to call for assistance when they went down for the first time. The younger sisters, horrified by the unexpected turn of affairs, screamed for help. A gardener heard them and came running to the river. Other help soon arrived and the unconscious young women were got to shore. Miss Virginia died immediately. The elder lived fully two hours but never recovered consciousness.

The bodies will be brought back to Holyoke, in Cheshire, for burial.

FOR BRYAN

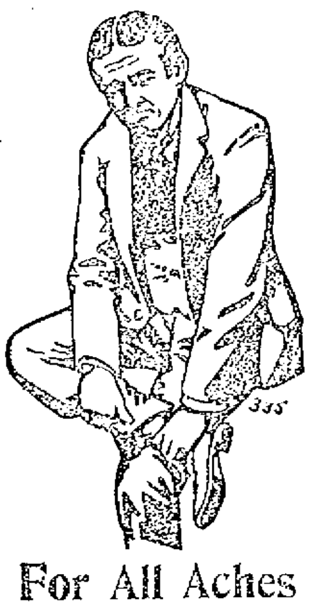
NEW YORK WILL GO SO SAYS A LOWELL BUSINESS MAN.

Mr. Peter Watson, Sr., and son Henry, the well-known Charles street bakers, have returned from a protracted stay at Sharon Springs, N. Y. The former for several years past has made visits to this famous summer resort. During his stay the elder Mr. Watson felt the pulse of many prominent politicians of Gotham and found that the current was strongly toward Bryan carrying the coming presidential election. Many of the men interviewed by Mr. Watson were independent republicans.

What Shall We Have for Dessert?

This question arises in the family every day. Let us answer it today. Try Jell-O, a delicious and healthful dessert. Prepared in two minutes. No boiling! no baking! simply add boiling water and set to cool. Flavors: Lemon, Orange, Raspberry and Strawberry. Get a package at your grocer's today. 10 cents.

Omega Oil



For All Aches

Aching legs and aching arms, and all other kinds of aches need only one thing, and that is a thoroughly good rubbing with Omega Oil. A big ache needs more oil and more rubbing than a little ache; but, whether big or little, the pain will disappear when Omega Oil gets a chance at it.

In using Omega Oil, always rub toward the heart. 726

LOST HIS LIFE

Ed. Grace Perished in a Fire

By Associated Press to The Sun.

CHICAGO, Aug. 17.—Edward Grace lost his life and three were injured in a fire which destroyed the building occupied by the Independent Paper Stock company. Loss, $25,000. The dead man was asleep in the building.

FANNIE APPEALED

The Girl Who Defrauded Hotels Sentenced

SHE DID NOT LIKE SHERBURNE

Was Held for the Superior Court

By Associated Press to The Sun.

BOSTON, Aug. 17.—Before Judge Brown in the municipal criminal court today, Fannie E. McPherson, of Worcester, charged with defrauding the Hotel Essex and several business houses, was sentenced to one year in the woman's prison at Sherburne. She appealed and was held in $500 for September term of Superior court.

CENSUS OF LOWELL.

A wager was made in Lowell yesterday that the census return will show a population of 95,000 for Lowell. On the basis of 3 1-2 persons to every poll reported to the principal assessors, the population will be 87,000. This is a disappointment to applicants for addition liquor licenses.—Boston Globe.

Lowell prohibitionists will invite their presidential candidate, John G. Woolley, to visit Lowell.

Heavy rain caused a large amount of earth to fall from the hillside on First street tracks yesterday, delaying Lawrence and Haverhill cars.

IN NEED OF REPAIR.

The bicycle path on the east side of Bridge street between the canal and the river bridges, is badly in need of repair. A heavy truck must have gone over it during one of the hot days of last week, for there is a cut in the concrete about five inches wide and in some places a couple of inches in depth.

LOCAL BICYCLE RIDER

ATTENDING FOUR RACE MEETS TODAY AND TOMORROW.

A number of local bicycle riders have entered in many races for today and tomorrow. Claude Hamilton is riding at Concord, N. H., this afternoon, Athol, Mass., this evening, Gardner, Mass., tomorrow afternoon, and Charles River Park, Cambridge, tomorrow evening. George Casey will ride in the four above tracks, too.

McIntosh, Hoyle, O'Brien and Delphond are entered to ride at Concord N. H., this afternoon. Patrick Keegan will ride at Charles River Park tomorrow night.

SOCIETY PEOPLE

Principals in a Clandestine Marriage

By Associated Press to The Sun.

WATERTOWN, N. Y., Aug. 17.—A special from Alexandria Bay, says:

The clandestine marriage of Mr. L. E. Ramsey, a commercial traveler of St. Louis, Mo., and Miss May Hasbrouck, daughter of Louis Hasbrouck, of New York city, has just been made public. Both are prominent in society. They were married by a justice of the peace.

TWO MORE CASES

Of Diphtheria Reported This Afternoon

Two more cases of diphtheria have been reported this afternoon at the health department. They are Joseph Kelley, aged 3, residing in the rear of 341 Lakeview avenue, and Stella Martell, aged 8, at 35 Middlesex Park. Diphtheria is now more alarming than the smallpox.

ON THEIR WAY TO SAN FRANCISCO.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Aug. 16.—News has been received at the Presidio that the transport Thomas which left Nagasaki, August 15, will bring 26 sick and four insane soldiers from the Philippines.

Final Price-Cutting in Women's

Shirt Waists

...AT...

Chalifoux's

Here's the way we do things—Not by Halves.

25 Cents
For Ladies' Percale Shirt Waists, former price 50c.

50 Cents
For Ladies' Finest Percales and Lawn Shirt Waists with insertings, in French back, tucked fronts, and other effects, former price 89c.

75 Cents
For Ladies' Gingham Shirt Waists in plain and trimmed effects. Zephyrs in neat stripes, Dimities and Fancy Lawns, all with French backs, former price $1.25.

LADIES'

Walking Skirt

$3.50
For Rainy Day Skirts, made of imported Scotch double faced material, hemmed and finished with several rows of stitching on bottom; sold elsewhere for $4.98.

J. L. CHALIFOUX
Central and Middle Sts.

BRYAN AT HOME

Warmly Greeted by His Townspeople

By Associated Press to The Sun.

LINCOLN, Neb., Aug. 17.—Lincoln tendered a handsome welcome to Mr. Bryan yesterday upon his return to his home here after an absence of ten days.

He was met at the depot by a large concourse of people, who escorted him to his residence, and who, after listening to a speech there and shaking hands with both Mr. and Mrs. Bryan, only dispersed to meet in the evening, with many others, at a reception given in the state capitol grounds, which partook of the nature of an official function.

When they alighted from the train, Mr. and Mrs. Bryan were met by a local committee, who escorted them to carriages. There were speeches of welcome for both husband and wife.

In reply, Mr. Bryan spoke at some length on national issues. He said:

"I believe that the fight in which we are engaged is one that concerns every citizen in this broad land. I believe it concerns the people of all the world. I believe that here we are trying an experiment, and that experiment, if successful will be a blessing to the human race everywhere."

Mr. Bryan then explained the reasons of his party for an apparent change of issues, saying:

"Parties do not make issues, parties meet issues. You will remember that in the campaign of 1888, the dominant question was the tariff question. Before 1892 the silver question began to rise into prominence and in the campaign of 1892 we discussed both the tariff question and the silver question, but the silver question more than the tariff question.

"By 1894 the silver question had so risen in importance that it became the main question of discussion in this state. The republicans carried this state and had two-thirds of the legislature, but the silver question went on increasing in importance until in 1896 we had the fight in the nation upon the same lines.

"After two years of consideration the people of Nebraska had so changed their minds that we carried the state by 21,000 majority.

"If we had had our way about it, we would have in this campaign at this time the same questions we had in 1896, but events have thrust into the arena of politics the trust question. It is the fault of the republican party that the trust question is of more importance now than it was four years ago.

"But the republican party has brought into this campaign a new question, more important than all others. It attacks the fundamental principles upon which our government rests.

"Our contention is that our government is built on the doctrine that all men are created equal. Destroy that doctrine and there is no foundation upon which a free government can be built. If all men are created equal, if they are endowed with inalienable rights, if governments are instituted among men and derive their just powers from the consent of the governed, then this nation has no more right as a nation, to claim the ownership of 8,000,000 Filipinos than one man has a right to claim the ownership of another man.

"The republican party which was not willing that a black man should be sold for $800, now claims that a Filipino can be bought for $2.50. The principal is exactly the same."

In conclusion Mr. Bryan advised his hearers to vote in November as their conscience should dictate.

"I cannot," he said, "feel unkindly toward those republicans who think so much of me that they would keep me in Lincoln all the time, (laughter), but I can feel even more kindly of you who will give me leave of absence for four years and let me carry out your will at the national capital." (Great applause and cheering.)



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North Billerica was the mecca last evening of a large throng of music-loving people from Lowell and the surrounding towns. It was the occasion of the sixth in a series of ten open air concerts to be given by the popular Talbot mill band. Notwithstanding that the weather was rather cool the ardor of the crowd was not dampened in the least for the majority of the fair sex came well provided with their wraps and the light overcoats of the sterner sex were also very much in evidence. On either side of the common were lined up all sorts of conveyance. The lawn in front of the post office seemed to be the favorite spot for the large gathering while many occupied seats on the veranda of Uncle Sam's headquarters. A number of the residences were thrown open to visitors and seats were provided for their comfort. The program was a carefully selected one. Leader Halstead and his clever band of musicians were warmly applauded for their efforts to please. The only unpleasant feature of the evening was the poor car accommodations. The car which left the square about 7.20 o'clock made innumerable stops before reaching North Billerica. On reaching the village the register showed that 121 fares had been rung in.

The concert was otherwise enjoyed and the band made many hits as usual.

TIMBER FIRES

Burned Over 50 Miles of Country

By Associated Press to The Sun.

DELNORTE, COL., AUG. 17.—HEAVY TIMBER FIRES ARE RAGING SOUTH AND WEST OF DELNORTE, FROM THE HEAD OF THE SOUTH FORK OF THE RIO GRANDE TO THE HEAD OF THE CONEJOS RIVER. THE DAMAGE IS THE GREATEST IN THE HISTORY OF THE COUNTRY. THERE IS ALMOST CONCLUSIVE EVIDENCE THAT THE FIRES ARE INCENDIARY. NO RAIN IS FALLING AND THE FIRE HAS UNLIMITED SWAY ACROSS NEARLY FIFTY MILES OF COUNTRY.

BOXING GOSSIP

Patsey Haley, the former Lowell featherweight, now summering at Newmarket, N. H., writes to a Boston paper that he would like to make a match with any 120 or 122 pound man in New England and that he would prefer Billy Gardner of this city. It is very probable that Gardner will accept the offer if some club will do the rest. At the present time Gardner is undergoing an uncalled-for "knocking" from a Boston sporting writer, as the result of ill-feeling between this writer and Gardner's manager, Tom Maguire. There is a possibility that this "knocking" may injure Gardner with the different boxing clubs to the extent of preventing him from getting a match, though his friends hope not. Billy shouldn't have to suffer for the enmities made by his manager. Gardner and Haley, should they come together, would make one of the prettiest bouts seen in this vicinity in a long time.

There are few cleverer featherweights than little Haley, who has met the best men in the country with varying success, and all know that Gardner is fast coming to the front of his class. It would make a good attraction for the Kirtland Club of Lynn and would draw a big attendance from Lowell.

KILLED HIMSELF.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

SPRINGFIELD, Aug. 17.—Horace L. Niles, one of the oldest provision dealers of this city, accidentally shot and killed himself this morning while cleaning a shot gun. He received a full charge of shot in his abdomen and death was almost instantaneous. Mr. Niles was 5 years old and has been in business over 40 years.

KILLED HIMSELF

THAT HIS WIFE MIGHT GET INSURANCE.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

CHICAGO, Aug. 17.—Charles A. Mielenz died by his own hand sometime on Wednesday on the Prairie near Foster and Southport avenues, in order that his wife might receive the benefit of $2000 insurance which he carried in two German lodges. Mrs. Mielenz learned from the police last night that her husband's body had been found. She has four boys, none of them 10 years old.

Mr. Mielenz conducted a wall paper and painting business and it was not prosperous. He left home on Tuesday morning.

On Wednesday afternoon Mrs. Mielenz received a letter from her husband mailed from a suburb and written partly in German and partly in English. In which he said:

"It is the best you can do to let me go, so everybody can get what they have coming. I feel sorry for my children. You will get enough of money from my lodges to put five in the business and hold the balance for yours of and my dear children. It is hard to part, but I don't see any other way."

—CANDY—

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SWINDLING SCHEME

BOLD ATTEMPT TO GET $200.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

LEOMINSTER, Aug. 17.—The Leominster National bank received a cablegram yesterday from Paris, ostensibly from Alexander S. Paton, who is visiting the Paris exposition, asking that $200 be immediately forwarded to him. The bank became suspicious and communicated with B. W. Doyle, the local treasurer of the Paton Manufacturing company and he in turn cabled Mr. Paton in Paris, and this morning received the reply that no money had been sent for by Mr. Paton. Mr. Doyle left this morning for New York to consult authorities in regard to the matter, with the view of arresting the perpetrators of the scheme to swindle.

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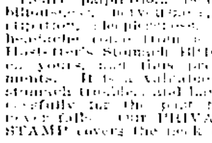
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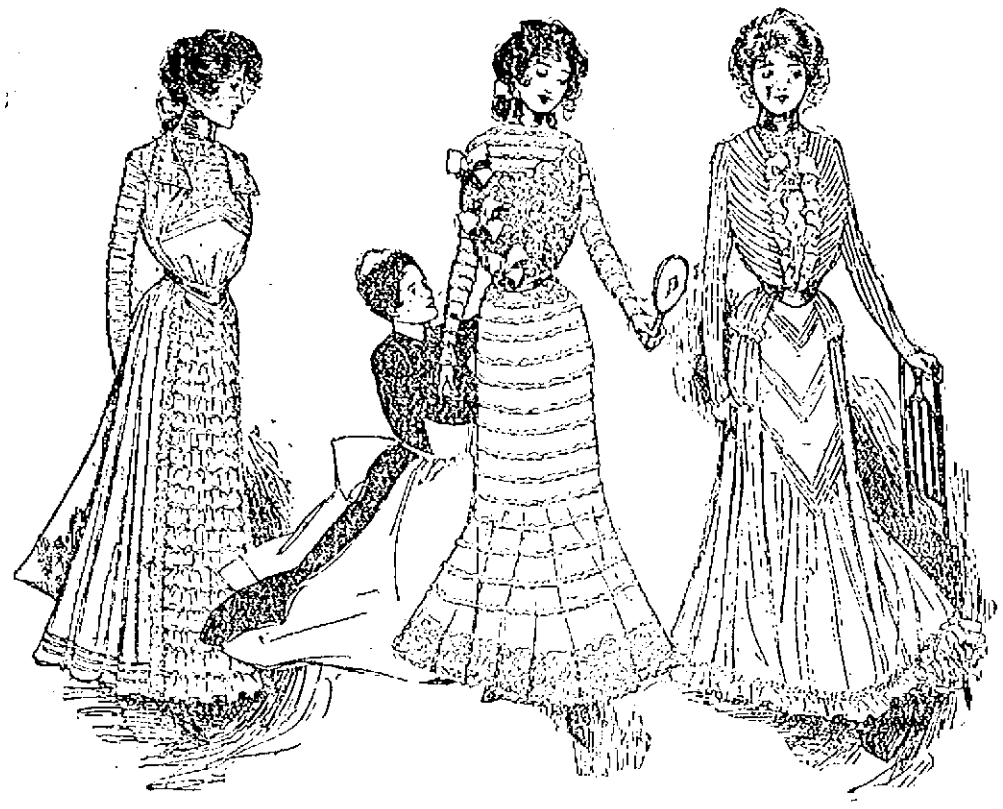
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These pretty gowns are designed for young girls of eighteen. They are made of the new light-weight cloths and are in the pale shades. The first one is of the new shade of blue, called "tendre," with a ruffled front panel of the same. The bodice is carried out in the same style as the skirt. The second gown shows a pale tan cashmere trimmed with inexpensive Venetian lace; the third is of light red, trimmed with narrow bands of black velvet ribbon.

PRETTY GOWNS FOR GROWING GIRLS.

For the First Time in Her History the French Maiden Is Wearing Fashionable Dresses.

STYLES FOR NEW BODICES.

Trouville, August 9. The French girl is emerging from the severely prosaic condition in which her mother has always kept her into one that is more agreeable for the girl and certainly more attractive to the outside world.

It is a wonder that the French girl has ever married. Kept in the nursery and the schoolroom, denied the pleasures of the world, seldom or never visiting the theatre or opera, going nowhere and seeing no one, she has grown up a big-eyed innocent creature, as unlike the American girl as it is possible to picture her.

After her marriage, which was always arranged by her parents, the shrinking French girl emerges into the society woman, no longer timid, nor retiring, but with her whole life, bent, apparently, in making up for the time she lost in her girlhood.

The Misses Van Alen, daughters of J. J. Van Alen, the wealthy American who was appointed to the Court of Italy by President Cleveland, but who resigned from diplomatic reasons, were educated in France, after their mother's death, which occurred when they were tiny children. To their horror they were allowed no pleasures beyond a few most simple ones, such as were given to a child of four; and when they sought to gain the intellectual freedom of grown women they were restrained. So, with Miss Pauline Astor, but, in both cases, the fathers of the girls rescued them and gave them such freedom as is allowed in America.

The French girl is being seen now, as never in her life before. At Trouville the other day the writer counted half a dozen young women of eighteen walking upon the plazza of one of the hotels. They were well dressed in all the pretty little belongings that seem a part of girlhood. By their side trotted a pink flanked young man bent upon pleasing them. They were French summer girls- types that were strangers to France before this year.

A French girl who formerly wore "any old thing" is now very modishly attired in fine little gowns that are designed for her and built specially to fit her figure.

In response to the demand for gowns for growing girls one of the tradesmen upon the Rue de la Paix advertises designs for half grown girls, and very becoming they are, with their broad waisted effects and their skirts that are made to escape the ground.

So very pretty are some of these gowns that you see young women who have been out several seasons copying them and dressing like the girl of sixteen, even to the wearing of the hair in a big loose coil at the very nape of the neck, where a big ribbon bow secures it.

A model sketched at Trouville was in blue albatross, with the skirt laid in box plaits all the way around, except right in the middle of the front where it was plain. The waist was made with a shirred front and plain back. Such delightful sleeves were made with the bell shape elbow facing well; and inside this bell there were worn Bishop sleeves gathered around the hand in a little tight cuff tied with ribbons.

The bodice had a girdle of corn colored satin ribbon fully five inches deep, brought around the waist very smoothly and hooked at the side, under the arm. Beautiful little pins of yellow topaz were used to secure the left fastening at the side and were placed at intervals around the girdle.

BLUE AND YELLOW.

The stock was of the same smooth piece of yellow satin and a yellow satin ribbon tied the hair. Upon the front of the waist was a big handsome bow of the yellow satin, thus finishing the waist very prettily.

Of course the tiny bolero must always be in evidence and a small bolero of Irish point was slipped on over this waist. As though there could be any warmth in a tiny little garment like this, the bolero was lined with satin to be taken off when the sun shone brightly.

The bell-shaped sleeve will be the sleeve of fall for young and old. While many sleeves are falsely called the bell the true bell-shaped sleeve is the one that is very tight to the wrist, but below the wrist it flares into a bell. The bell sleeve is worn very long and also very short; the latter being only to the elbow, where it has a big bell just above the point where the arm bends. Below the bell there is the Bishop sleeve in lace extending to the wrist.

There are many styles worn by the young and those of more mature mould. One of these is the sleeve just described. Another is the draped tunic which is composed of gathers brought from the bust line. At the waist there is a broad belt or girdle, and, below the belt, the tunic falls in gathers again, to a point nearly to the foot of the skirt. Underneath there is a skirt trimmed with a very deep flounce.

A very charming end is sometimes used for finishing the tissue and also for finishing the trimming of the skirt. It consists of a piece of goods so cut that, when folded and fastened, it will fall in little plaits, as a side trimming.

A brilliant little soft felt hat will be worn with this suit. The color of the hat is dark rose, exactly to match the lining of the skirt. A broad Jack silk tie will be knotted at the throat.

The bolero is becoming more and more eccentric. One of the newest boleros is extremely short in the back and on the sides and very long in front, where the tabs reach the belt and are finished with two tiny buttons.

The tunic also grows in eccentricity. One of the newest shapes shows a very much elongated front which rounds away at the sides and is short in the back. This style of tunic is much affected by the woman who desires something tailor-made yet novel; severe yet becoming.

A gown of this description is among the list of the summer dresses that will be made up this season. It is of light green cloth with tucked waist and skirt. A very short bolero of the plain cloth is worn over the waist the tabs being elongated and reaching to the waist line. The tunic is also long in front and touches the ground while the sides and back are very short.

Early autumn street gowns will be made in very light shades of cloth, the prettiest and most delicate of these being ice color which is nearly white, with shades of pink and blue showing through it. The weaving of such a piece of cloth is a work of art as the threads are woven through the goods in such a way as to show blue from one direction and pink from the other. Ice color will be among the most fashionable of the fall shades.

BRILLIANT LININGS.

There is a vogue for brilliant linings. A gown, recently made for an American woman to wear at Newport this September, is of ice cloth cool, shimmering and beautiful. The skirt, which is very short, being little more than ankle length is lined with Jack rose taffeta. The coat is an Eton with white silk revers, the whole of ice cloth lined with the Jack rose taffeta. Revers of the silk turn over at the throat. The blouse to be worn with the Eton is a pale blue gingham the plaids showing a thread of red.

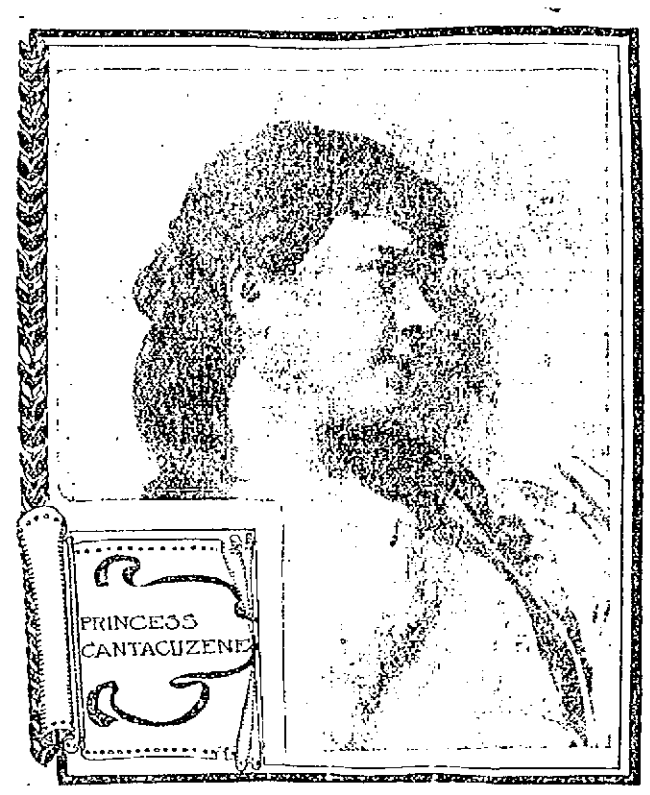


This little gown for a girl under twenty is made of checked goods, the skirt and waist being box-plaited. Broad bands of black taffeta trim the skirt, and the yoke is composed of the taffeta.

AN IDEA FOR A HANDSOME HOUSE BODICE.



A very attractive bodice is made of aluminum grey taffeta with clusters of tucks placed widely apart. A band of lace over silk outlines the yoke and vest and a trimming of lace finishes the sleeves. The skirt is of figured material showing lines in many gay colors.



Since the birth of her baby a month ago the Cantacuzene family have been more than ever in love with their American daughter-in-law. In a private letter a friend of the Princess says: "If anything could have been needed to cement the tie between the Princess and her Russian relatives this event has filled the gap." From the first the Cantacuzenes were fascinated with the American girl, a feeling which reaches to the palace of the Czar.

PERFUMES LOVED BY FAIR QUEENS.

Wilhelmina of the Netherlands Almost Bathes in Cologne and Other Crowned Heads Have Their Fads.

By Annette Rierdon Reed.

Amsterdam, Holland.—It was at Scheveningen, a little coast spot that has been dubbed "the Coney Island of Holland" that I first saw Holland's Queen. She had driven down from The Palace of the Woods, that pretty place where the Peace Commissioners met, and was doing a bit of shopping, only a tiny bit for they do not display a great many wares at Scheveningen.

The young Queen, who was, on this occasion, accompanied by her mother, stopped at a little bazaar and there purchased a bottle of cologne. It might have been a rare bit of sweet extract for it was in a small bottle and was delicately labelled. The little vial caught the young Queen's eye and she alighted from the carriage and left the cream-colored horses pawing the ground.

This is not the first time the Queen of Holland has gone shopping for sweet scents. She is extravagantly fond of perfumes and buys them by the wholesale. She purchases eau de cologne by the gallon and is probably the largest individual consumer of the perfume. She scents her fair skin with it night and morning. No French woman ever had a greater liking for perfumery than she. Her maids have their hands lightly dipped in orris water so that their presence is pleasant.

Wilhelmina of the Netherlands uses an entire champagne bottle of this aromatic essence of cologne every morning, and so fatent is the little majesty on getting her fill of her favorite toilette vinegar that she has the bottle opened in her very presence, sniffs it, assures herself of its high quality by a test over a lamp and then pours the contents into the bath with her own hand. Of course, this is not the regulation tub, but a large marble affair, built into the floor and reached by five steps, so that the room beneath is only half a story high.

Her Majesty remains seven minutes in the bath, using a certain soap, little scented. Then she draws a waterproof cap over her hair and steps under a "shower," where the finest bay rum takes the place of water. After that she is rubbed down by her old, round and big-armed nurse.

Wilhelmina has a beautiful, yet delicate complexion, which she believes will take care of itself if regularly treated as set forth and then left to its own normal course. Preparatory to dinner, theatre, reception or balls she uses a Turkish towel and plenty of warm water on her face and neck, soap for the hands only, day and evening.

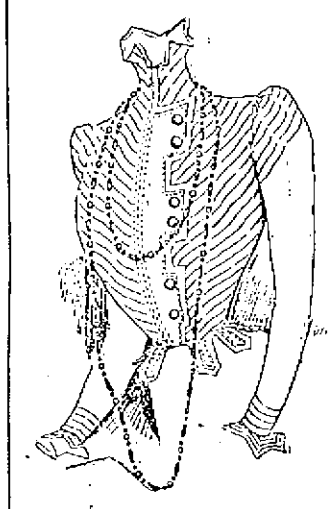
Up to the conclusion of the peace of Paris, which settled the latest unpleasantness between Spain and the United States, the ladies of the Peninsular court, and Her Majesty Queen Christina in particular, used ylang-ylang to give their clothes and handkerchiefs a sweet odor. Indeed, they thought it their patriotic duty to do so, for ylang-ylang is one of the products of the Philippines. When, however, the Islands were ceded to Uncle Sam, the fashionable perfume, so long regarded as the pink of perfection, lost its charms, and a substitute of a Madrid maker called Water of Spain, was ostentatiously adopted, Christina authorizing the dealers to use her name in pushing the sale.

Queen Victoria still clings to patchouli, which perfume became the fashion when India shawls were first introduced. She scents her linen with lavender, also an old-timer in England, but the face powder man and concoctor of toilet vinegars and cosmetics who depended upon the custom of the Queen, her daughters and granddaughters would have to close up shop, for no matter how many firms claim royal patronage for scented waxes and beautifiers, the great ladies mentioned wear their own complexion.

Albert Edward, on the other hand, is credited with giving every new perfume that comes up a trial, because he likes to be in the fashion and because the smell of tobacco and the stable, when it clings to his person, is offensive to him.

The young Empress of Russia, beautiful as she is and with new riches thrust upon her, delights in the luxuries of the toilet table, for which she spends 100,000 francs per year with a single Paris perfumery firm alone.

The German Empress gives a certain spermaceti soap credit for keeping her shoulders so marvellously white. The brand favored by her has a delicious, refreshing odor, relaxes the muscles of the skin, and, at the same time, acts as a tonic



Here you see an exceedingly smart tailor-made waist of satin cloth. Narrow bands of black silk braid are put on diagonally. The double-breasted front is fastened with smoked pearl buttons. A very long chain is looped twice around the neck.



Queen Helena of Italy is a dashing brunette with wonderful eyes. She is nearly six feet tall and is a superb horsewoman. She is very popular with her subjects, and was sincerely mourned when she removed her home from Naples to Rome.

Peppermint being so cheap that nobody would think of adulterating it, Her Majesty uses a tincture of that herb for a mouth wash. New-mown hay is her favorite pocket handkerchief perfume, and the atmosphere of her room is sweetened by eau de cologne atomizations at frequent intervals. The Empress uses powder freely, and it seems hard that her husband won't allow her to dye her hair, which is strangely gray for a woman of her age, forty-three, but then William must meddle with everything.

Another royal woman gray and wrinkled despite the promises of complexionists, is Carmen Sylva, the Queen poetess of Roumania.

Her Majesty is free to say that she tried every known wrinkle destroyer and hair dye. When everything failed she let nature have its course and certainly doesn't rue it. She is to-day, a fine, matronly woman and rejoices in a surprisingly clear and fresh skin thanks to an extract made from certain herbs found in Roumanian forests. The Queen, having a knowledge of chemistry, concocts this extract herself.

The dainty Crown Princess of Roumania who, as a girl, was known as "little Mary of Edinburgh" and whose beautiful children are the admiration of royal relatives, uses rose water for her complexion, alternating, from week to week, with a vegetable tonic. On her handkerchiefs she puts jasmine, because few chemists have as yet learned to imitate that odor. Her linen chests are lined with chamois, perfumed with white heliotrope, an idea that hardly needs recommendation.

The Queen of Italy is certainly one of the best preserved women of fifty now before the public, though her life cannot be called an untroubled one and though she is perpetually haunted by fears that King Victor will be assassinated.

To keep the pores clean and the skin well nourished Her Majesty uses a cream made of the flowers of the Campagna, the great swamp region in the neighborhood of Rome. Arabian water serves as a special tonic for the royal cuticle when the Queen goes hunting or mountain climbing. Her soap is of Italian make. On her handkerchief she uses nothing but cologne.

About Tacks.

The best tacks are made of imported Swedish iron; the next grade of American soft steel, and the cheapest of common American iron. Tacks are also made of copper. Some tacks are tinned, and for ship use tacks are galvanized. Tacks are made of sizes ranging from half-ounce to 24-ounce. The tack commonly used as a carpet tack is an 8-ounce tack. A 24-ounce tack is about 1 1-8 inches in length.



The yachting gowns of fall are all in the new shades of green. This becoming dress has a skirt of bright green, laid in little tucks, half way down, below which it flares around the foot. The tunic is an eccentric one, very long in front and short in the back and upon the sides. Tunic and bolero are in a deeper shade of green. The vest, the bow at the neck and the hat scarf are all in a very light green with dark chenille dots of the green.



VERY REV. FR. LEFEBVRE, O. M. I.

There will be a general retreat at the Tewksbury novitiate for all of the Oblate Fathers in this part of the country, occupying the first five days of next week. Rev. William D. Joyce, O. M. I., pastor of the Immaculate Conception church and Rev. John P. Reynolds, O. M. I., pastor of the Sacred Heart church, will attend the retreat which will be preached by the Very Reverend Joseph Lefebre, O. M. I., provincial of the Order of Mary Immaculate of the United States. During the retreat Rev. Fr. Lawrence, O. M. I., will act as pastor of the Immaculate Conception church, and Rev. Thomas Murphy, O. M. I., will perform like duty at the church of the Sacred Heart.

ONLY FIVE HITS

Made Off Powell by the Bostons

WILLIS ALSO PITCHED IN FORM

Both Teams Played Fast Ball

By Associated Press to The Sun.

St. Louis, Aug. 18.—John Powell is nothing if not a hot weather twirler, yesterday in the blazing hot sun, with the mercury playing tag with the 100 mark in the shade, he faced the Bostons, and at no time during the nine innings did he appear to be in trouble.

Five hits were made off the boiler maker, and they were scattered throughout four innings. In the sixth he was touched up pretty hard by Hamilton and Long. They met the ball hard, and their two hits netted them five bases.

The game was devoid of any sensational work. The plays were all easy. The only excitement furnished was in the sixth inning, when Boston made three runs, and tied the score. Hamilton, the first man up in this inning, doubled to left. Long hit an easy grounder to Keister. Billy had two chances to make a put out, as he could have handed the ball to Dillard in time to retire Hamilton or throw to McGann and cut off the batter. He made a schoolboy fumble and both men were safe. Stahl was lucky in his count. He sent the ball over Wallace's head. It looked for all the world like a single. Burkett had no chance for it on the fly and he waited for the bound. The ball bounded higher than he expected and it went over his head and rolled to the left field bleachers. Before Jess could return the sphere Stahl was snugly located on the third cushion. This was the only time during the game that Boston appeared at all dangerous. Only in this inning did the visitors get a man as far as third. In five innings they were retired in order.

The score by innings:

Innings	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
St. Louis	1	0	2	0	0	1	1	2		—7
Boston	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	—3

Earned runs, St. Louis 1, Boston 2. Two base hits, Hamilton, Lowe. Three base hits, Burkett, Stahl. Sacrifice hits, Heidrick, Powell. Hit by pitcher, Keister. Double play, Wallace and McGann. Bases on balls, Powell 2, Willis 2. Passed ball, Clarke. Struck out, by Powell 3. Stolen bases, Duffy, Donovan 2, Burkett 2. Time 2h. Umpire, Hurst. Attendance 3211.

The other games resulted as follows:
Pittsburg 5, Brooklyn 3.
Cincinnati 5, Philadelphia 4 (11 innings).

FITZ AND SHARKEY FIGHT.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

NEW YORK, Aug. 18.—It was announced last night that the big battle between Bob Fitzsimmons and Sharkey at Coney Island will be decided on Saturday night August 25, instead of Friday, August 24, as was originally intended.

EVENING HIGH SCHOOL ALUMNI.

The regular meeting of the Lowell evening high school alumni was held in Burbank hall last night. Following the regular business an enjoyable program was carried out. Many friends and members were present. Three new members were accepted. The next meeting will be held on Friday evening, Sept. 21.

LABOR NEWS

At the regular meeting of Lowell Lodge 138, Machinists in Leather Workers' hall last night five candidates were installed and eight applications were received. The rallying committee of the Trades and Labor Council was present and made remarks relative to the Labor Day parade. The machinists have voted to turn out in the parade.

VACATIONS FOR OPERATIVES.

Several departments of the Carpet mills are closed down for two weeks. Work has been suspended in a small portion of the Moore mills at North Chelmsford for the same length of time.

COLUMBIA COUNCIL, O. U. A. M.

Columbia Council transacted routine business only at their meeting held last evening. During the course of this plans were matured for the fishing trip to Marblehead on Labor Day.

DRACUT

There was a large attendance at Contractor Heland's sale in Dracut on Thursday afternoon, and very good prices were obtained. The highest price for a team horse was $175, and lowest was $191. Auctioneer Keyes was in charge.

PENSION CHANGES.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 18.—The following pension resulting from the issue of July 31, are announced:

Massachusetts.

Original—Edward F. Stevens, Hyde Park, $6; Theodore W. Draper (dead) North Attleboro, $12. Special August 2, Andrew N. Ekolington, Chicopee Falls, $12.

Increase—William N. Webb, Lynn, $8. Reissue—George S. Morse, Taunton, $12.

Original widows, etc., Minor of Marcus L. Daggett, North Attleboro, $11; Martha C. Wakefield, Hingham, $8; Mary Sterle, Lowell, $8; Adelaide H. Draper, North Attleboro, $8; Special accrued July 30, Elizabeth B. Matthews, Long Meadow, $8; Georgiana Lovejoy, Brockton, $8; Bella U. Morris, Dorchester, $8; Alice H. Mowatt, Lowell, $8.

COWDRY HOUSE BURNED.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

NEW IPSWICH, N. H., Aug. 18.—The Cowdry house, located in this village, near the factory, was burned yesterday afternoon, as was also the greater part of the furniture. The loss is $2200, with an insurance of $1500.

BANK BOOKS FOUND

BELONGED TO MRS. TYLER WHO WAS ROBBED RECENTLY.

Several weeks ago, while entering the Mechanics Savings bank, Elizabeth W. Tyler, an old lady living in Pelham, N. H., was robbed of a hand satchel containing money to the extent of over $50 and bank books representing about nearly $2,000. The thief snatched the satchel from her hand and he has not been seen since. Thursday night as Officer Clements was going through the hall of the Cummiskey block in Market street, he found the bank books and the satchel under a stairway. He reported the matter to headquarters and was told to communicate with the owner, with which he has since complied.

WENT FISHING.

Mr. James P. Donohoe of the Rockingham hotel and ex-Representative Owen Donohoe, "piloted" a party of Lowell and Watertown friends, yesterday, to Great pond, North Andover, for a day of piscatorial pleasure. Fish yarns are now in order.

ADVANCE IN COAL

Retail Dealers May Put up Price

AS WHOLESALE PRICES ARE HIGHER

Reasons Assigned for the Rise

It is rumored about that after the first of September or October 1st at the latest the retail price of coal will go up 25 cents per ton and as a result the coal business is rushing at present the wise ones getting in their winter supplies before the rise comes.

Last winter coal sold for $6.75 per ton. May 1 the price dropped to $6.25, where it has remained ever since. The retailers are at the mercy of the wholesalers and instead of dropping to summer prices, the wholesalers on July 1 jumped up 25 cents per ton.

The retail men did not make a corresponding advance in price, but stood the shrinkage in their profits. They claim that the net profit on coal is very small, and that they cannot afford to stand another 25 cent raise without advancing the price.

One of our local dealers thinks it quite possible that the wholesale trade will advance the price not more than 10 or 15 cents, in which case the retailers will be able to pull through by merely making an advance of 25 cents to their customers, to cover the 25 cents advance made by the wholesalers July 1. The figures quoted apply to stove coal, but the same is true, proportionately of furnace and soft coal.

The best grades of manufacturing coal advanced three weeks ago, in the wholesale market, 25 cents a ton.

The war and scarcity of labor owing to strikes at the mines are held responsible for the high prices.

NORTH CHELMSFORD

Mr. William Miller of Lowell and Miss Carrie Bridgford of North Chelmsford were united in marriage at 8 o'clock Wednesday night at the home of the bride in North Chelmsford, and the marriage ceremony was performed by the Rev. A. B. Riggs of Lowell. Miss Clara Swanwich of North Chelmsford was bridesmaid and Mr. Henry Miller of Lowell was the best man. The bride was beautifully attired in white silk, trimmed with chiffon. She wore a bridal veil and carried bridal roses. The bridesmaid was dressed in white muslin. Many costly presents were received by the newly married couple. After the marriage ceremony a collation was served at the home of the bride and friends were present from Tyngsboro, Lowell Chelmsford Centre and Westford. At 9.30 o'clock the happy couple left on their wedding tour for New York, and after their return they will reside in Liberty street, Lowell.

Miss Josie McCabe, organist of St. John's church, and Mrs. William J. Quigley and daughter Gertrude, all of this village, are spending their vacation at Crescent beach.

MATRIMONIAL

ADAMS—LEAVITT.

A very pretty wedding ceremony was performed Tuesday afternoon at the residence of the groom, 278 Manchester street when the Rev. N. L. Colby united in marriage Edward S. Adams and Miss Bertha G. Leavitt.

The ceremony was performed at 3 o'clock in the afternoon and was attended by only the near relatives of the contracting parties. The groom is one of the best known of Manchester's young men, having been a resident of this city the majority of his life.

Mr. and Mrs. Adams will be found at home to friends at 278 Manchester street.—Manchester Union.

Mrs. Adams was formerly a resident of this city and the newly-wedded couple visited friends here on their marriage tour.

DALLAIRE—O'DONNELL.

At St. Joseph's parochial residence on Wednesday evening, Mr. Pierre Dallaire and Miss Annie Irene O'Donnell were united in marriage by Rev. Fr. Gagnon, O. M. I. The best man was Mr. Joseph Grimes and the bridesmaid was Miss Emma Dallaire.

LOWELL PREACHER IN DEMAND.

Rev. J. F. Allen is to preach at the Laurel Park camp meeting at Northampton, Mass., on Thursday of next week, and on Friday is to speak for the Women's Foreign Missionary society at the same place. The week following he is to speak at the Sterling camp meeting.

WESTFORD

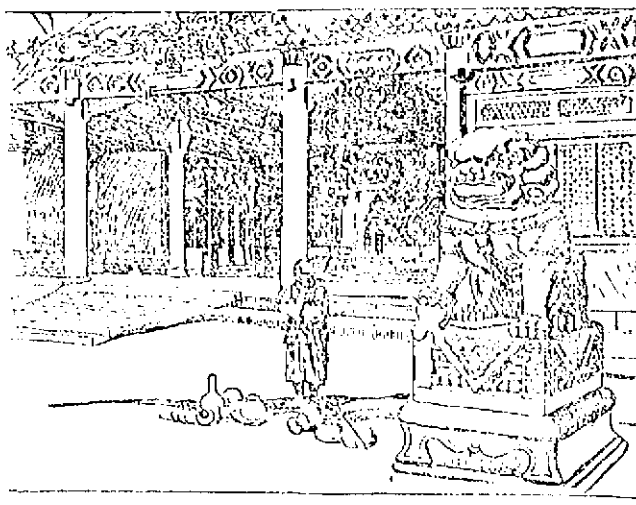
There will be no morning service at the Congregational church during the remainder of the month of August; but the Sunday and mid-week evening meetings will be held the same as usual. Mr. Cecil is the leader for next Sunday evening and Miss Loker will lead the Wednesday evening meeting.

On Saturday, Aug. 25, this church will hold its annual picnic at Nabnasset grove, unless the day should prove stormy, when it would be postponed to some future date.

A JURY REUNION.

A reunion will soon be held in Tyngsboro by the jury which served in the March term of the superior court in Lowell.

ENTRANCE TO THE BRITISH LEGATION.



The largest of the foreign legations, where the ministers accredited to the court of Peking resided, was that of Great Britain, which also occupied the most commanding situation and is reported to have afforded a temporary refuge to the unfortunate foreigners who at the latest uprising were caught within the walls.

INFORMAL DANCE

BY COTTAGERS AT WILLOW DALE LAST EVENING.

The cottagers about Lake Mascuppic held an informal dance last evening at Willow Dale. Mr. W. E. Savage had spent the day in decorating the hall with branches, plants, lanterns and flags. The reception corner had a striking background of maple saplings; fox skins were placed at each side of an old-fashioned sofa and several rockers and easy chairs made it a delightful cosy corner.

On the wall opposite the orchestra was a large oil painting of a cove of the lake. Along the sides was a flag from the "Man Boat," and two large hats, the subscript of which, "the Muscats," caused no little amusement.

The dancing was enjoyed by all continued long in the evening.

About 20 couples were on the floor among whom were City Auditor Cheney and wife, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. W. T..., Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Young, Mr. and Mrs. George W. Colon, Mr. and Mrs. W. Hayes, Mr. and Mrs. Wilson and daughter, Mrs. W. E. Savage, the Misses Dunning, Jewett, Bowers, Ham, Cohen, Young, Fels, Cushing and Clark; Mr. and Mrs. O. K. Dexter, J. S. Merion, Harry Cohen, Charles Cohen, Daniel McKenzie, Harold Jewett, Max Fels, Grover Fels.

The committee on arrangements were: Manager W. E. Savage, aids, Victor Jewett, Max Fels, E. W. Young and Harry Cohen; matrons, Mrs. Frank Jewett, Mrs. August Fels, Mrs. John Bowers and Mrs. George Bowers.

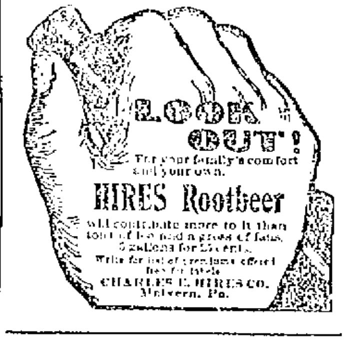
Music by McElroy's orchestra.

TEWKSBURY

Mrs. Samuel Pike of West Tewksbury has returned from a very enjoyable vacation at Ocean Park, Old Orchard beach.

Dancing parties to Lakeview has become quite a popular fad with young ladies from the West Tewksbury district.

The usual weekly open air meeting will be held on the common at the Centre tomorrow afternoon. A large number of Lowell people are expected to be present.



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Two Performances Daily, Afternoon and Evening.

Notice to Contractors.

Sealed proposals will be received at the office of the Lowell Water Board, until 5 o'clock, P. M., Friday, August 24th, 1900, for furnishing all labor and material required for an addition and changes to Pumping Station No. 1 at Pawtucket Boulevard, including foundation walls for boiler house, boilers and smoke stack foundations, brick work engine room, brick setting for boilers and carpenter work, as shown on plans on file in this office. Proposals to be addressed to Lowell Water Board and endorsed "Proposals for additions to Pumping Station No. 1."

The price proposed must be price for furnishing all material and tools and doing all the work and all proposals containing bills not called for in this advertisement will be considered informal. Subbidders to be named and to be acceptable to the Water Board.

No bid will be considered unless accompanied by check equal to 10 per cent. of the amount of bid; all figures must be based on the completion of work within sixty (60) days of the award of contract.

The Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

Plans can be seen and all information can be obtained at the office of the Lowell Water Board.

FRANK L. WEAVER,
AUGUST FELS,
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HERBERT C. TAFT,
Lowell Water Board.

Aug. 17, 1900.

Boston & Maine R. R.

Corrected to June 25, 1900. Trains leave Merrimack Street Depot, Lowell, as follows:

For Boston, 6.43, 8.22, c8.42, *7.45, *8.50, c9.15, *9.40, 11.00 a. m., 1.10, c3.05, 4.27, c5.11 p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.43 a. m.

Trains leave Middlesex Street Station, Lowell, as follows:

For Boston, 5.15, 6.28, *6.33, c6.45, w6.51, 7.04, *7.27, 7.31, *7.45, c7.50, w7.00, *8.57, c9.19, w9.25, *9.30, w10.50, 11.03, *11.42 a. m.; w12.05; 12.16, w12.45, 1.11, *1.57, w2.25, w3.19, c3.36, *3.47, w3.55, *4.02, 4.28, w5.15, 5.22, c5.49, w6.15, *6.22, 7.06, *7.10, 8.42, w9.29 p. m. SUNDAYS, 6.30, 7.25, 8.15, 9.17 a. m.; 12.05, 4.06, 4.25, 5.55, 8.15 p. m.

For Lawrence and Haverhill, 6.28, w6.50, z7.34, w9.20, w9.25, 10.05, w10.50 a. m.; w12.05, w2.25, 3.55, 5.15, w5.18, w6.15, w7.00, w9.25, wb11.25 p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.15 a. m., 12.05, 5.50, 8.15 p. m.

For Salem, Mass., w5.25, 7.34, a. m.; w12.05, 1.25, w5.18, 5.53 p. m.

For Newburyport, Amesbury and Portsmouth, 6.25 a. m.; 12.05, 2.25, 3.55, 6.15 p. m.

For Haverhill, Newburyport, Hampton, North Hampton, Portsmouth and stations on York Beach railroad, 2.35 p. m., July 2 to Sept. 7 inclusive.

For Exeter and Dover, 6.25, 6.50, z7.34, 9.30 a. m.; 12.05, 2.55, 6.15 p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.15 a. m.; 5.30 p. m.

For Rochester and Alton Bay, 8.30 a. m.; 12.05, 3.55 p. m.

For Somersworth, N. H., Saco, Old Orchard and Portland, 6.25, 6.50, z7.34, 8.30 a. m.; 12.05, 3.55, 6.15 p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.30 p. m.

For Lewiston, Augusta, Bath, Waterville, 6.50, 8.30 a. m.; 12.05, 6.15 p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.30 p. m.

For Bangor, Belfast, Skowhegan and Rockland, 6.50, 8.30 a. m.; 6.15 p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.30 p. m.

For St. John, N. B., Halifax, N. S., Montreal and Quebec, 6.50 a. m.; 6.15 p. m. (6.15 does not run Saturdays). SUNDAYS, 5.30 p. m.

For Eastport and St. John (via steamer from Portland), on Monday, Wednesday and Friday, at 12.05 p. m.

For Castine, Deer Isle, Sedgewick, Bar Harbor, Jonesport and Machiasport (via steamer Frank Jones from Portland), Tuesday and Friday at 6.15 p. m.

For Woburn, 6.58, 7.01, 7.31, *7.45, 11.03 a. m.; 1.43, 4.28, 5.11 p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.48 a. m.; 4.25, 5.58 p. m.

For stations between Winchester and Boston, Southern Division, 5.46, 6.28, 7.31, 1.43, 9.30, 11.03 a. m.; 1.43, 4.28, 5.22, 8.41 p. m. SUNDAYS, 6.30, 7.27, 8.45, 9.17 a. m.; 4.25, 5.58 p. m.

For Ayer Junction and Way Stations, 7.10 a. m.; 12.09, 5.01, and 6.12 p. m. SUNDAYS, 2.35 p. m.

For Amherst, Milford and Wilton, 9.03 a. m.; 1.01, 3.41 and 5.50 p. m. SUNDAYS, 2 p. m.

For Greenfield, Peterboro, Bennington, Hillsborough and Keene, 9.55 a. m., and 3.41 p. m. SUNDAYS, to Hillsboro, 2 p. m.

For Nashua, Manchester and Concord, 7.45, 8.8, *9.10, *10.35, *10.39 a. m.; *12.09, 1.03, *1.16, *1.51, 3.41, *5.47, 6.27, *8.10, *9.24 p. m. SUNDAYS, 10.00 a. m. (to Nashua only), 2.05 a. m.; 2.05, 6.42, 8.10, *9.24 p. m.

For Franklin, Lebanon, White River Junction, 9.55, *9.40 a. m.; *12.12, *1.40, 5.45, *a9.30 p. m.

For Warner, Bradford, Sunapee, Newport (N. H.) Claremont and Claremont Junction, 7.10, 9.55 a. m.; 1.49 p. m.; 3.41, a8.10 p. m. Saturday only till August 25th inclusive.

For St. Johnsbury and Lyndonville, via Wells River, 10.35 a. m.; *1.40 *a9.24 p. m.

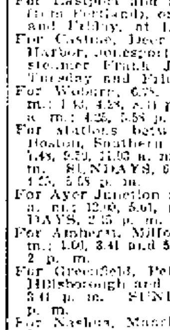
For Montpelier, Essex Junction, Burlington, St. Albans, St. Johns and Montreal via Central Vermont line, *9.42 a. m.; *12.09, *a9.10 p. m.

For Montreal and Quebec, via Montreal and Boston Air Line, *10.35 a. m.; *a9.24 p. m. QUEBEC EXPRESS, via Plymouth and Sherbrooke, *1.40, *a9.24 p. m.

References.

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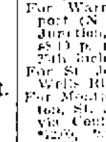
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Sold at Goodale's Drug Store, the best and cheapest place in Lowell for drugs and medicines, 217 CENTRAL STREET.

WANTED

WANTED—An energetic man to manage an office in Lowell. Salary $125 per month and extra profits. Must come well recommended and have $600 cash. Address Manager P. O. Box 1151, Philadelphia, Pa.

WANTED—Energetic man to manage branch; salary $125 month; extra commissions. Old established house. Must be well recommended and furnish $500 cash. Manager, Drawer 5, New Haven, Conn.

WANTED—Washing and scrubbing by a good, capable woman with a family to support. Address K. L., Sun Office.

WANTED—Agent to sell the distillery bottling of Bella of Nelson to the local trade in Lowell. Address with reference The Turner-Looker Co., Cincinnati.

WANTED—Two girls to attend tables in a coffee house. Address 112 Market street, Olympia Coffee House.

WANTED—Young man for outside position. Apply room 21, Hildreth building.

WANTED—Good worsted spinners on cap frames. Apply to Clinton Worsted Co., Clinton, Mass.

WANTED—Girl for general house work. Inquire 23 Burnside street, near L. and S. power house.

WANTED—A woman wants work. Would go out by day or hour. 115 Charles street.

WANTED—Lady would like to get lace curtains and family washing to do. Inquire 31 Concord street.

WANTED—Man to work at vegetable farming. H. W. Foster, Andover street.

SITUATION wanted in a meat and provision market or grocery, wholesale or retail. Six years' experience. Call or address D. 25 Kirk street.

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Three chair barber shop. Stand established 15 years. Apply to 501 Gorham street.

FOR SALE—Variety store with tenement attached in good locality. Well established trade but small stock. Apply Sun office.

FOR SALE—A second-hand piano, suitable for a club room or hall; a big bargain for some one. Inquire at Harmony Grove, J. A. Marder.

FOR SALE—Oak roll top desk, nearly new. Address Desk, Sun Office.

FOR SALE—Cartwright estate, 19 Beech street. Apply at house or W. Cartwright, 21 Forrest street, Lawrence, Mass. Mortgage optional.

FOR SALE—A boarding house corner of George and Emery streets. Inquire of Joseph Ashley, 3 Boott Corp.

FOR SALE—One horse, a cow, one Jersey heifer, 50 hens, and farm of 30 acres with house, barn, hen house, sheds, etc., situated next to Whittier Bros.' farm in Dracut, half way between Lowell and Lawrence. Will sell the live stock separately or together with farm. Easy terms. Bargain for somebody. Apply to Robert Galbraith on the premises or by mail. Address Lowell Creamery, care of Whittier Bros.

FOR SALE CHEAP—A five-horse power motor. As good as new. John F. Quinn, Dix street, wood and coal dealer.

FOR SALE—Cigar store and pool room for sale. 189 Middlesex street.

FOR SALE—Restaurant, thriving business, well equipped, up-to-date, most popular in the city, owner retiring. $2500 cash; only cash customers need apply at 113 Munroe street, room 10, Lynn, Mass.

FOR SALE—A National cash register, 20 keys in perfect order; also a small soda fountain at 315 Central street.

FOR SALE—Ten R. I. P. A. N. S. for five cents at druggists. One gives relief.

FOR SALE—At a great sacrifice, a new two-story house for two families; seven rooms each with bath, hot and cold water, gas, hard wood floors, a good lot of land and barn, near 18th street. Inquire at 52 19th street.

FOR SALE—1-2 mile from Chelmsford Centre, six-room house, barn and shed, one acre of land, can be bought on easy terms. Price only $1100. G. L. Hubbard, 121 Central street.

FOR SALE—On Chapel Hill, two-tenement house and store all in first-class repair, large lot of land. This place can be bought low and on easy terms. G. L. Hubbard, 121 Central.

FOR SALE—On Lawrence street, four-tenement block, pays 12 per cent. Price $3100. G. L. Hubbard, 121 Central street.

FOR SALE—On Tyler street, good boarding house with lots of boarders. Price $550. G. L. Hubbard, 121 Central street.

FOR SALE—In North Chelmsford, two-tenement house, large lot of land. Price $2,200. G. L. Hubbard, 121 Central street.

FOR SALE—Six miles from Lowell, good farm of 58 acres, good set of buildings, lots of fruit, keeps 15 head of stock. Price of farm, $2200. With the stock of 6 cows, 4 head of young cattle, pigs, hens, two horses, wagon, harnesses, farming tools and milk route, price $3100. G. L. Hubbard, 121 Central street.

AGENTS—"Hat Bleach" cleans straw hats in five minutes; greatest seller out; sample 25c; write today. Hat Bleach Co., Xenia, O.

SALESMEN wanted for Lowell to introduce staple specialties as a side line; early calling on architects, builders, owners of fine buildings, etc., preferred; this is a fine opportunity and a hustler can add several hundred dollars yearly to his income. Address "615 Drexel Building," Philadelphia, Pa.

Notice to Boiler Manufacturers.

Sealed proposals will be received at the Lowell Water Board office, City Hall, until 5 o'clock, P. M., Friday, August 24th, for two horizontal tubular boilers and smoke stack, according to plans and specifications on file at said office.

All bids must be addressed to the President of the Lowell Water Board and marked "Proposals for Boilers and Smokestack."

No bids will be considered unless accompanied by check equal to 10 per cent. of the amount of the bid and all figures must be based on the completion of work within sixty (60) days of the date of award of contract.

The Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

FRANK L. WEAVER,
AUGUST FELS,
MICHAEL J. DOWD,
HERBERT C. TAFT,
Lowell Water Board.

Aug. 17, 1900.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts,

Middlesex, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, creditors and all other persons interested in the estate of CATHERINE O'ROURKE, late of Lowell, in said county, deceased, intestate.

Whereas, a petition has been presented to said court to grant a letter of administration on the estate not already administered of said deceased, to JOHN W. McEVOY, public administrator, of Lowell, in the county of Middlesex, or to some other suitable person.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the fourth day of September A. D. 1900, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be one day at least, before said court.

Witness, Charles J. McIntire, Esq., First Judge of said Court, this fifteenth day of August, in the year one thousand, nine hundred.

W. E. ROGERS, Asst. Register.

TO LET

TO LET—Furnished front room, with or without board; in private family, 416 Walker street.

TO LET—11 room house, steam heat, modern conveniences, 25 Anne street. Inquire Gordon Tweed, 53 Market street.

TO LET—Some first class tenements in all parts of the city. Apply to A. G. Beharrell, Room 8, Bon Marche block.

TO LET—A nicely furnished house on Centralville hill; only one minute's walk from car line. Will rent to a desirable couple for owner's board. For particulars. Address D. W., Sun Office.

TO LET—One four room tenement. Inquire at 33 Chestnut square.

LOST AND FOUND

FOUND—A black horse. E. L. Bragdon, Lawrence road.

MISCELLANEOUS

LYNN BEACH—A few summer boarders can be accommodated at 10 Sachem avenue, off Ocean street, Lynn, two minutes' walk from the beach. Terms reasonable.

COTTON WEAVERS UNION—All members that have not been called upon by the collector within the past two weeks are requested to call at Loomfixers' hall and leave their addresses with the financial secretary. From 1 till 4 every Saturday afternoon until further notice.

MISS ANNIE McMULLEN, Fin. Secy.

LADIES will find select line of help at Choice Employment Bureau, 30 Appleton street, Mrs. Sanburn.

DONT DELAY—A bargain, two-story, 8-room house, with pantry, bath, wash room, steam heat two water closets, hot and cold water, gas. Connected with sewer. Only 10 minutes' walk to the mills. Good location. Inquire 58 Mt. Hope street, Pawtucketville.

PATENTS—Secure our terms and system for placing inventions free. Oscar A. Michel, registered attorney, 302 Broadway, New York, Dept 55.

BIGGEST SNAP ever offered, agents or dealers to sell high grade cash registers. Anyone can sell them. Big money made. Chicago Cash Register company, Chicago.

WHEN YOU want Spectacles or Eye Glasses Purcell's is the place, 13 Coburn street. Somewhat of an optician. No fancy prices.

SILK, FELT and straw hats cleaned and repaired cheap during the month of August at Delorme, the hatter, 261 Middlesex street.

LYNN BEACH—Old and new patrons are welcome, at Fred L. Dwyer's, 14 Suffolk street. Reasonable rates.

LADIES — Free. Harmless Monthly Regulator. Cannot fail. Mrs. B. Rowan, R 59, Milwaukee, Wis.

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§5 43	6 50	6 00	7 07
6 21	7 40	6 35	7 45
§6 30	7 33	6 40	7 55
6 42	7 52	8 00	8 53
§7 04	8 02	*8 30	9 00
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7 45	8 35	*10 00	10 57
§7 50	8 55	10 37	11 34
8 50	9 45	10 45	11 55
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9 40	10 43	12 00	12 56
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§12 16	1 05	2 00	3 01
1 49	2 50	*3 00	3 35
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3 00	4 20	4 11	5 05
*§3 47	4 30	4 47	5 55
§4 03	4 45	*5 00	5 35
4 25	5 30	5 34	6 26
*5 23	6 15	6 47	5 51
5 46	7 10	6 14	7 22
*§6 22	7 46	*7 30	8 08
*§7 19	8 00	*8 45	9 22
§8 42	9 37	10 15	11 19
		11 20	12 22

Sunday Trains

To Boston Lve	To Boston Arr.	From Boston Lve.	From Boston Arr.
§6 33	7 30	8 15	9 05
*§7 27	8 10	9 00	10 07
8 45	9 40	1 00	1 57
§9 17	10 09	5 00	5 59
§4 25	5 30	*7 30	8 05
§5 53	7 00	*8 45	9 22
		9 00	10 42

Western Div.

To Boston Lve.	To Boston Arr.	From Boston Lve.	From Boston Arr.
6 51	8 00	7 30	8 31
8 00	8 51	9 25	10 22
9 25	10 30	10 25	11 11
10 50	12 02	11 50	1 03
12 05	1 32	2 15	3 10
12 35	1 37	3 30	4 65
2 25	3 11	4 25	5 15
3 10	4 10	5 14	6 21
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THE WEATHER

By Associated Press to The Sun.

BOSTON, Aug. 18.—Local forecast for Boston and vicinity: Fair weather tonight and Sunday; variable winds.

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A gray enamelled preserving kettle with a pound of tea and coffee. You should secure one of these. Dickson Bros., The Big Tea Dealers, 63 Merrimack street.

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SERMON SUBJECTS

ADVENT.

First, Rev. C. R. Crossett, elder, "The outward and the inward man—or two men in one and their relation to each other."

BAPTIST.

Fifth Street, Rev. H. W. O. Millington. Rev. Bowley Green of Portland, Me., will preach morning and evening.

Wigginville chapel, at 6 30—Rev. Chas. R. McNally of the Worthen Street church will preach.

FREE BAPTIST.

Middlesex, Rev. Lewis Dexter, "Living in the spirit," evening, "Lifting Christ before men."

Chelmsford Street, Rev. A. E. Kenyon, Rev. E. R. Caswell, formerly of the Middlesex street church, "Three-fold deliverance."

Paige Street, Rev. A. E. Wilson, "Our example," evening, "Certainty."

CONGREGATIONAL.

Eliot, Rev. J. M. Greene, Prof. Hicks of Andover will preach in the morning.

First Trinitarian, Rev. George F. Kenngott, Rev. F. I. Kelley of the Dracut Centre church, "The wayside ministry of Jesus;" evening, "A Divine Injunction."

Highland, Rev. C. L. Merriam, "Christ's message to mankind—to the individual;" evening, "Drifting."

Hillside, Dracut, Rev. J. P. Richardson, preaching by Miss Elizabeth S. Tobey of Boston; evening, C. E. meeting led by Royal P. Richardson.

Kirk Street, Rev. W. A. Bartlett, Rev. R. A. Beard, D. D., of Cambridge will preach morning and evening.

EPISCOPAL.

All Saints, Rev. Wilson Waters. No morning service; special musical service in the evening.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL.

Highland, Rev. G. M. Smiley, "The supreme motive in character."

St. Paul's, Rev. L. W. Staples, Rev. C. L. Fillebrown of Ayer will preach; evening, prayer meeting led by Dr. C. H. Stowell.

Worthen Street, Rev. J. F. Allen, the pastor, will preach at the union services at the Worthen Street Baptist church; evening, Rev. N. W. Devaneau will preach.

PRESBYTERIAN.

First, Rev. J. M. Craig, "Godliness is profitable;" evening, "The miracles of Christ."

Westminster, Rev. D. A. MacPhie, Rev. L. Norman Leith will preach in the morning; no evening service.

PRIMITIVE METHODIST.

First, Rev. N. W. Matthews, "The personal element;" evening, "Martha and Mary."

MISCELLANEOUS.

Christadelphian Ecclesia, Engineers hall, Wyman's Exchange, "The nature of a man from a scriptural standpoint."

First Spiritualist Society, Earnscliffe Grove, Chelmsford street at 2.30 p. m., C. Fannie Allyn of Stoneham will occupy the platform.

HOSPITAL CASES

DOCTORS HAD A BUSY DAY WITH ACCIDENTS.

John Gallagher, 21, residing at 10 West Third street, was treated for a lacerated right leg below the knee yesterday at the Lowell hospital. Patrick Derrick, 27, of 120 Merrimack street, was taken to the Lowell hospital suffering from burns on the right hand caused by boiling water. Apostolis Vathopulos, a Greek, employed in the Merrimack, caught his right hand in machinery yesterday and lacerated one of his fingers. He was taken to the Lowell hospital. Robert Stringer, a diphtheria patient, was discharged yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gregoire with four of their trimmers, Mrs. Cushing, Misses Higgins, Curran and Lemerise, have just returned from New York, where they have been the past week attending the importers' openings.

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WOMAN ARRESTED

One of Two Who Abandoned Child

GAVE NAME AND RESIDENCE OF MOTHER

Inspectors Will Go to Nashua for Her

Inspectors Lafiamme and Allen arrested May I. Warren early last night at her residence in Hurd street, on the charge of abandoning the infant girl now being cared for at the city farm. She made a confession which implicated a sister residing in Nashua, N. H., as the mother of the child, and further assisted the inspector by disclosing the address of her sister. As a result it is probable that the Nashua woman will come into compulsory possession of her offspring and the authorities of the city farm will bid good-bye to "Polly Stack."

The inspectors were able to bring their work to a successful issue by the detailed and accurate descriptions given by Supt. Pinder of the city farm, upon whom the women called at a late hour Wednesday night and who refused to entertain the idea of receiving the child without a permit. The superintendent sized up his callers very carefully, so that when a couple of hours later he was informed of the discovery of the infant on the door steps of a neighbor he was able to give the Lowell police perfect descriptions of the women. The woman now under arrest is the one who held the infant and did all the talking with the superintendent. As he afterwards stated, she is not the mother of the child. If her statement is to be believed her sister is the mother of the infant.

When the inspectors called at a certain boarding house in Hurd street last night and asked for Miss Warren, the latter did not appear surprised, although she was somewhat agitated. After a few minutes' conversation she admitted everything, but said that no harm was intended to the little one. Upon being asked as to the mother of the child she hesitated a moment, and then replied that the mother lived in Nashua. Later she gave the address of her sister.

At the police station she gave the name as above stated. She said she was 21 years old and was a housekeeper by occupation. She is a rather striking woman in appearance. She has blue eyes and regular features and her complexion is light. An effort is being made to locate her sister and it is more than probable that it will be successful, although if she wishes she can cause considerable trouble to those who would arrest her by insisting on extradition papers.

The woman now at the police station was brought before Judge Hadley in the police court this morning. The infant that has caused the source of all the trouble is at the city farm receiving the best of care. She is such a healthy, fine looking baby that even though separated permanently from her mother she would not want for a good home as there would be numerous applicants for her adoption.

RETURNED FROM EUROPE

BENJAMIN HOLGATE VISITED FOREIGN TEXTILE SCHOOLS.

Benjamin Holgate, clerk at the Lowell Textile school, has returned from an extended visit to England where he visited many of the textile schools and incidentally took note of the systems there. Among those visited was the large school in Manchester, the greatest textile school in the world. The buildings are devoted entirely to textile work and each room occupies an entire edifice. But they are imitating their cousins on this side of the globe by utilizing every inch of space, and many machines are placed into nooks and corners that were formerly vacant.

Mr. Holgate thinks as a textile school our own will compare favorably with any of those abroad but as technical schools they outclass us by a large margin. He found his visit profitable of much good in the many interesting things observed in the well equipped schools of the mother country.

AZALEA CLUB OUTING.

At Belle Grove, last evening, the popular Azalea club of Lowell held its second outing which proved a very enjoyable event. Shortly after 8 o'clock, with Atwood's orchestra in attendance, dancing was begun and about 100 couples joined in the opening waltz. The party came to an end at midnight when a special car took the merry dancers home.

The officers of the affair were: General manager, John Quinn; assistant, Joseph Mongrain; floor director, Stanley O'Brien; assistant, Philip McNeice; chief aid, Patrick Tarpy; aids, John J. Hulin, Joseph J. O'Brien, Daniel F. Donohoe, Charles Larkin, Daniel Clark, Connie McCarthy, Oscar Perault.

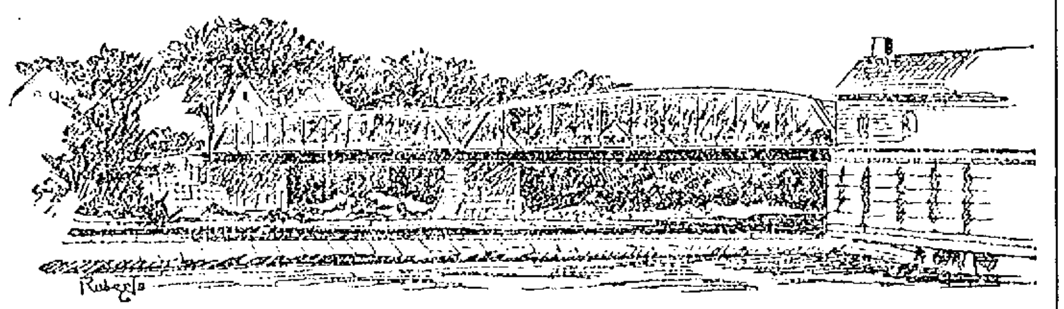
NARROW ESCAPE

UNKNOWN MAN RUN OVER BY A HEAVY WAGON.

While passing through Prescott street last evening, an unknown man had a narrow escape from being killed. When in front of Shattuck's bicycle store the man, who was intoxicated, started to cross the road to the opposite side of the street. A tandem was passing at the time and the man, in trying to get out of its way, ran into a heavy furniture wagon. The horses knocked the man down and the wheels of the wagon passed over his legs.

He picked himself up and crawled to the curbing, where he sat for a while, after which he limped away. The people who saw the accident thought the man was killed, until they saw him crawl.

Miss Lilian Roy of Cedar street has returned home after having visited many points of interest along the New England coast.



THE PAWTUCKET BRIDGE.

Condemned as Unsafe for Heavy Traffic by Engineer Bowers.

PAWTUCKET BRIDGE

Is Falling Down Says Engineer Bowers

And Street Committee Votes to Investigate Into the Cost of a New Bridge to Replace it—County, Locks & Canals and Street Railroad Should Share the Cost—An Echo From the Smooth Paving Post—Why Does Cheney Work His Men Half Time?

The unsafe condition of the Pawtucket bridge was formally brought to the attention of the street committee last evening and after a discussion on the method of improving the conditions at the bridge, voted to prepare plans for a new structure.

There were present at the meeting Alderman Beaulieu, who presided, Alderman Carmichael and Councilmen Casey, Lebrun, Hatch and Burns, of the committee, and Alderman Taylor and several members of the council not of the committee.

The Pawtucket bridge matter was the first considered. Engineer Bowers declared it to be in an unsafe condition and it was voted the sense of the committee that a new bridge is needed, and then the probable cost was considered. Mr. Bowers stated that a new bridge, with plank flooring, would cost about $42,000, and with permanent flooring, $50,000. This would mean using the present foundation piers and abutments.

On motion of Alderman Carmichael the city engineer and city solicitor were instructed to take measures to learn what the Locks & Canals, the street railway company and the county commissioner will do toward bearing the expense for a new bridge. The road is a county road and the bridge accommodates North Chelmsford, Tyngsboro, Dracut and the other towns as well as Lowell, so that the county as well as the city is accommodated. The street railway company has agreed according to a statement made in the meeting, to pay part of the expense of repairing the bridge, so the offer was believed to hold good if it was decided to put up a new bridge.

Mr. Bowers stated that there was an actual danger if heavy teams or cars passed over the bridge faster than a walk, and if more than one heavy team went across at the same time. Unless the warning signs were heeded it would be necessary to shut up the bridge entirely. Mr. Carmichael made another motion that four signs be prepared with proper reading matter to warn and inform the public of the condition of the bridge and what precautions must be exercised to avoid unnecessary danger.

It was voted later in the meeting to have a new and public hearing on Thursday, Sept. 6. At that meeting, also, these matters will be considered:

Regarding a change of the name Davenport street, east, to Davenport Terrace, east; for a bicycle path on both sides of Appleton and Chelmsford streets to Westford street; that Charles avenue and Sarah avenue be accepted; that a part of Mammoth road to Stark street be laid out.

[illegible] was represented in very bad condition and it was voted to call the attention of the superintendent of streets to the place and recommend that it be put in proper condition.

Mr. [illegible] was given leave to withdraw his petition for a sidewalk in front of his premises in [illegible] street. The sidewalk has been built since the presentation of the petition.

The Pawtucket Social club asked that the Moody street sidewalk from [illegible] to Fifth avenue be finished and that Fifth avenue be macadamized. It was recommended that the macadam be laid and a hearing was granted on the sidewalk petition.

SMOOTH PAVING AGAIN.

Alderman Carmichael then gave the committee some valuable information regarding smooth paving, in the following letters from Albany and Syracuse, N. Y.:

Syracuse, N. Y., Aug. 9, 1900.

Mr. James Carmichael, Central Block, Lowell, Mass.

My Dear Sir—In answer to your esteemed favor of the 8th inst. and I beg to inform you that Syracuse now has about 60 miles of asphalt paved streets. They are paved with Trinidad asphalt, some Empire asphalt, some Bermuda and some California.

It is safe to say that five-sixths of the asphalt streets are paved with Trinidad Lake asphalt. On the whole, asphalt wears well in Syracuse, although the laying in certain streets has not proved quite satisfactory.

Asphalt pavement is the most desirable pavement in Syracuse. Our streets are cleaned by the hand-cleaning system, which, of course, makes a fine-looking pavement. It is certainly the most popular pavement here. My individual preference is for the large Hallwood block brick, such as laid in Cortlandt avenue in our city, although I am frank to admit that my townsmen do not agree with me in this respect.

The streets of our city are sprinkled by contract and the same is charged up to the property owners through local assessment. We had the street car sprinkler in our city, but I consider it a nuisance, as it wet the streets too much and frightened the horses.

Very truly,

JAMES K. McGUIRE, Mayor.

Syracuse, N. Y., Aug. 15th, 1900.

James H. Carmichael, Esq., Central Block, Lowell, Mass.

Dear Sir—I am in receipt of your esteemed favor of the 10th inst., and would say that, as I understand it, there are two kinds of Trinidad Lake asphalt. One is the pure lake pitch taken from the lake deposits, and the other is pitch taken from land near the lake. I should think that the general term "Trinidad Lake Asphalt" would cover both. There is much deception in the word, and it is quite impossible for the ordinary expert to be able to detect the difference. My opinion is, that you must rely upon your guarantee and make the specifications as broad and open as possible in order to restrict the monopoly. As I understand it, all Trinidad sheet asphalt is controlled by the asphalt trust, and there is actually no competition in that product.

It is five or six years since we laid the Hallwood pavement in Cortlandt avenue, and you will have to write to Ohio for prices.

The street car sprinkler was used in the street sprinkling contracts, and I think the price was about 1 1-2 cents per square yard per diem. The abutting property owners paid the cost along the streets. Yours very truly,

JAMES K. McGUIRE.

Albany, N. Y., Aug. 16, 1900.

James H. Carmichael, Esq., Lowell, Mass.

Dear Sir—Your letter of the 8th inst., addressed to the mayor of this city, inquiring in regard to traction road sprinkling and street pavements has been referred for reply to this department.

The United Traction company of this city does not sprinkle its tracks, with the exception of one level stretch about a mile long in the suburban district, which they sprinkle free of cost to the city.

Asphalt pavement to the extent of 281,072 square yards, was laid here between the years 1889 and 1895, inclusive. The principal defect with the pavement has been the disintegration of the wearing surface, causing large ruts and hollows in the surface of the pavement.

In the last seven years the city has paved only with dimension granite blocks and vitrified bricks laid on six inches of concrete, the last prices for which were $2.70 and $1.78 per square yard respectively.

Cost of the work is assessed on abutting owners, expense of street intersections is [illegible] on street improvement, also on lateral streets to midway of the block. Very truly yours,

WALTER MELIUS,

City Engineer.

Mr. Harry called attention to the fact, or he understood it to be a fact, that the superintendent of streets was employing his teams only half the week and laying off the men and keeping the horses idle the other half.

The chairman was instructed to learn if the superintendent of streets is hiring teams from outside parties and not using department teams, and keeping his own teams and men idle.

The question of macadamizing Agawam street was laid on the table. The superintendent of streets was instructed to have the street sweeper used Saturday nights in order that the streets may be clean on Sunday. His attention was also called to the dangerous condition of the Lawrence street bridge and he was requested to give an estimate as to the cost of repairing the bridge.

The chairman called attention to the condition of Aiken street and stated that paving or macadamizing was necessary. It was decided to view the street Sept. 6.

SHOULDER DISLOCATED.

Mr. Mark A. Avery of Leroy street is nursing a dislocated shoulder, the result of an accident on a lighthouse off Long Island, Maine. Mr. Avery fell while descending from the lighthouse to a boat and was rowed a distance of seven miles before he had medical attendance.

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"Dr. McMillan of Sunbeam, Ill., said he had used Postum and found it to be just as good as coffee, and more healthful. He is an M.D. of fine standing. Mr. David Strong and sister have left off coffee and are using Postum. They find it much more healthful. Rev. W. T. Campbell, pastor of the Second United Presbyterian Church of this city, says: "You may say anything good that you wish about Postum Food Coffee and I will substantiate it." He was a great lover of coffee and yet found it very injurious to his health. He now drinks Postum three times a day and the old troubles have disappeared.

"I shrink from having my name appear in public. The statement I have given you is truthful, and I hope will aid some people to discover that coffee is the cause of their aches and ails, and they are in a way to get rid of their troubles by leaving off coffee and taking Postum Food Coffee."

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ALLIES

Rule Pekin as the Boxers Have Fled

Full Confirmation of the Battle—Japanese Fought Bravely as Did Americans—The War Brings Rejoicing to all Civilized Nations



GEN. CHAFFEE, WHO COMMANDED THE AMERICAN TROOPS AT THE BATTLE OF PEKIN.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

SHANGHAI, AUG. 18.—10.20 A.M.—THE GENERAL ATTACK ON PEKIN BEGAN AUGUST 15, IN THE MORNING. THE ENEMY OBSTINATELY RESISTED. THE SAME EVENING THE JAPANESE DEMOLISHED THE CHAN LANG AND TONG CHI GATES AND ENTERED THE CAPITAL. THE OTHER ARMIES ENTERED BY THE TONG QUIEN GATE. THEY SENT DETACHMENTS AT ONCE TO THE LEGATIONS, WHERE THE MINISTERS WERE FOUND SAFE.

FALL OF PEKIN FULLY CONFIRMED

By Associated Press to The Sun.

WASHINGTON, AUG. 18.—THE ALLIED ARMIES HAVE CAPTURED AND ENTERED PEKIN IN THE FACE OF OBSTINATE RESISTANCE, AND THE MEMBERS OF THE FOREIGN LEGATIONS ARE SAFE. OFFICIAL CONFIRMATION OF THE FALL OF THE CHINESE CAPITAL CAME TO THE UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT LAST NIGHT IN THE SHAPE OF TWO CABLEGRAMS, ONE FROM ADMIRAL REMEY AND THE OTHER FROM CONSUL FOWLER AT CHEFOO. THE CABLEGRAM FROM ADMIRAL REMEY CAME TO HAND FIRST, EARLY IN THE EVENING, FOLLOWED VERY SOON AFTER BY THAT FROM CONSUL FOWLER AND THE OFFICIALS, REALIZING THE GREAT PUBLIC INTEREST IN THE EVENTS WHICH IT WAS BELIEVED HAD HAPPENED IN PEKIN, AT ONCE MADE THEM PUBLIC. CONSUL FOWLER'S DESPATCH IS AS FOLLOWS:

PEKIN TAKEN AFTER HARD BATTLE

By Associated Press to The Sun.

WASHINGTON, AUG. 18.—THE ACTING SECRETARY OF STATE MAKES PUBLIC THE FOLLOWING PLAIN TELEGRAM RECEIVED LAST (FRIDAY) EVENING FROM THE UNITED STATES CONSUL AT CHE FOO:

"CHE FOO, AUG. 17, 1900 (RECEIVED AUG. 17, 7.55 P. M.) SECRETARY OF STATE, WASHINGTON, SEVENTEEN. JAPANESE ADMIRAL REPORTS ALLIES ATTACKED PEKIN, EAST, 15TH. OBSTINATE RESISTANCE. EVENING, JAPANESE ENTERED CAPITAL WITH OTHER FORCES. IMMEDIATELY SURROUNDED LEGATIONS. INMATES SAFE. JAPANESE LOSS OVER 100. CHINESE 300.

"FOWLER."

GOOD NEWS CONFIRMED BY REMEY

By Associated Press to The Sun.

WASHINGTON, AUG. 18.—THE NAVY DEPARTMENT LAST NIGHT RECEIVED THE FOLLOWING CABLEGRAM FROM ADMIRAL REMEY:

"TAKU, AUG. 17, 1 A. M.

"BUREAU OF NAVIGATION WASHINGTON:

"JUST RECEIVED TELEGRAM FROM TIEN-TSIN DATED 16TH, 10 P. M.:

"'PEKIN WAS CAPTURED ON AUG. 15TH. FOREIGN LEGATIONS ARE SAFE. DETAILS FOLLOW SHORTLY.'

(SIGNED) "REMEY."

CHINESE SITUATION CAUSES REJOICING

By Associated Press to The Sun.

LONDON, Aug. 18—4 a.m.—"Pekin was relieved on the night of the 15th." This message was received last evening at the imperial customs office in London from the commissioner of customs in Che Foo. It is the only official message that has reached England in confirmation of the earlier reports. Admiral Remey's despatch did not arrive in time for publication in the morning papers.

The Morning Post which is the only paper printing the Che Foo message,

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TRAIN WRECKERS

Nearly Sent a Train to Destruction

By Associated Press to The Sun.

NEW YORK, Aug. 18.—A desperate attempt was made to wreck the 10.30 o'clock express on the Pennsylvania road, from Atlantic City for Philadelphia, on the Meadows back of Atlantic City, late last night, says a despatch. The train which carried more than 200 passengers, was almost derailed.

The train was crossing the meadows at a rate of 35 miles an hour, when near Johnson's Thoroughfare bridge, Engineer Willetts saw an obstruction on the tracks ahead. Jamming on the air brakes, he made a desperate effort to stop his train, but the engine plunged with great force into a big pile of railroad ties.

The locomotive rose bodily from the track and mounted up over the obstruction, only its weight preventing it from being thrown into a deep ditch and totally wrecked.

The train hands at once made an investigation and found that about 15 ties had been piled on the track and wedged together in such a way as to form an almost solid mass. The impact of the heavy train had scattered the timbers. None of the passengers was seriously injured, but some of them were considerably shaken up by the sudden stoppage. The only possible motive for the deed is robbery.

WILLIAM KRANE ALIVE.

The identity of the William Krane who left a note in a Greenwich, Conn., hotel to the effect that he intended committing suicide has not been determined. The only man of a similar name, who has been away from Lowell for a few days has his home in Centralville. He is enjoying a vacation in Moultonville, N. H., and writes that he is in the best of health.

IN NEED OF REPAIR

Aiken street bridge is badly in need of repairs. The roadway of this bridge is in wretched condition, and if the city does not care for it before long they may have a suit for damages on their hands as a result of their neglect.

SUPERIOR COURT.

The Superior Court, civil session, will come in at both Lowell and East Cambridge the second Monday of next month.

AN ESTIMATE

OF THE POPULATION OF THIS CITY.

The assessors' office estimates that the population of Lowell will be about 95,000.

NEW MACHINERY.

New machinery is being placed in the Brown hosiery on Plain street, which has recently been enlarged, increasing the capacity of that industry one-half.

Mr. James Morris, salesman at Arthur Cunningham's is to enjoy his vacation at Revere beach.

POINTERS FOR THE PRUDENT

Don't squander your money on unknown medicine. Be wise and secure that which has a record of over 25 years of cures. Get a bottle of

DOW'S Diarrhoea and Cholera SYRUP

a sure cure for Diarrhoea, Cholera Morbus and Dysentery. "No cure, no pay," is our motto. For sale at any of our stores.

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Under Merrimack House.

389 CENTRAL STREET
Above Opera House.

WYMAN'S EXCHANGE,
Cor. Merrimack and Central Streets.

POWERS IS GUILTY

Of Goebel's Murder and Sentenced for Life

By Associated Press to The Sun.

GEORGETOWN, KY., AUG. 18.—CALEB POWERS WAS FOUND GUILTY THIS AFTERNOON OF COMPLICITY IN THE GOEBEL MURDER AND WAS SENTENCED TO LIFE IMPRISONMENT.

LEAVING LONDON

Americans Are Starting for This Country

Sen. Depew Examinedthe Electric Underground Railroad — He Talks on Development of Our Industries

By Associated Press to The Sun.

LONDON, Aug. 18. The tide of American travel is still strong towards London. Many residents of the other side of the Atlantic, having exhausted the Paris exposition, are recuperating in England; and the hotels frequented by Americans are filled this week as they have not been since the opening of the season. Coaching is the delight of most of the Americans. Since Mr. Albert L. Johnson of Brooklyn, N. Y., drove his six-horse coach through London there have been many candidates for similar honors. Among the energetic young coachmen is Charles DeYoung, a son of M. DeYoung, proprietor of the San Francisco Chronicle. Incidentally, San Francisco is abundantly represented in London. Aside from Mr. DeYoung's party, at a West End table, the other evening, were Mayor Phelan, Walter Martin and Peter Donahue of the Papal household. Mr. E. H. Butler, proprietor of the Buffalo News, another enthusiastic driver, has bought a coach as a birthday present to his son. There have been enough American electric railroad promoters at the Carlton this week to carry through any scheme for rapid transit in London which can be devised. Mr. T. L. Johnson of Brooklyn came from Paris Thursday and under the same roof were Mr. W. L. Elkin and P. A. B. Widener of Philadelphia (who have since gone to the continent), and Mr. Edwin Johnson, representing the Edison company. These gentlemen have been studying the Central Underground railroad. Mr. Elkins informed a representative of The Associated Press that he and his associates really had no definite plans for work in London, in spite of the fact that they have been in consultation with several of the city railroad owners.

STEAMERS CROWDED.

The outgoing steamers today are crowded. Senator Depew sails on the steamer New York. He spent the last days of his stay here in examining the new electric underground railroad. He has also been in consultation with British financiers who are specially interested in the ability of the United States to make loans to Europe. The senator said:

"The sudden development of our industries and the immense accumulation of money growing out of the fact that Europe is paying $690,000,000 annually for America products has not only brought the bank rate and call loans up one and two per cent. respectively, but the western banks are now buying paper in the east because there is no demand for money. The fact that half the British war loan (all if it had been permitted), was taken in the United States demonstrates these conditions which have already made New York one of the financial centers of the world. If the conditions continue, and I have no doubt they will, New York will soon be a dangerous rival of London in financing the government enterprises of the world. The rapid information we are acquiring regarding the industrial conditions of the world, the necessity of finding a market for our increasing surplus of the Chinese problem tend to make New York an active competitor in the schemes for the development of the far east. It is a pure possibility that the New York stock exchange will actively deal in man's foreign stocks and bonds. The United States, with three thousand miles of ocean from Europe an governmental complications, will never take a militant part in the rivalries, jealousies and wars of Europe. These very miseries, the wars, make the United States every year stronger as a financial factor and will, I believe, make New York the financial center of the world. Up to two years ago, the European cabinets took no interest in American diplomacy and finance. America was regarded as a granary in times of poor harvest on this side and a dumping ground for surplus population. Now, no cabinet in Europe makes a move without considering what is the position of the United States in the matter."

MARRIAGE INTENTIONS

RECORDED AT THE CITY CLERK'S OFFICE THIS WEEK.

The following marriage intentions were recorded at the city clerk's office this week: Victor Zozzle to Kabarzyna Joskolka; Edmund Gosselin to Agnes Hopkins; Charles Patenaude to Mary Lyons; George S. Grant to Maude E. Brown; Charles T. Farrell to Jennie E. Brady; William H. M[illegible] to Carrie B. Bridgeford; Theophile Deschamps to Frances Peluke; Ernest F. Byorkman to Ida S. Pihl; Paul McPhee to Catherine M. Manning; Louis Peladeau to Delia Dubuque; George E. Lambert to Alice G. Login; Pierre V. Dallaire to Annie L. O'Connell; Antonio J. Furtado to Felomina J. Furtado; Joseph Bechelour to Marie L. Roland; Charles McConnell to Carrie McPee; Frank W. Davis to Bertha M. Jenning; Eliel Dare to Josephine Robitaille; George F. Taylor to Elizabeth H. Mosley; Antonio M. Inlio to Virgannie Silva; Alfred Desvignay to Norah Chartier; Alexander G. Jelly to Gracie Pardon.

RILEY EXPLAINS.

It is said that Charles Riley, the ward five assessor, has [illegible] John F. Mahoney, one of the principal assessors, that John T. Donahue gave him the list of names that he returned to the principal assessors as living at No. 19 Union street.

Mr. P. Stephen Peppard of the North Western Insurance Co., Mr. P. James Kerwin, a trusted employe of Uncle Sam and Mr. M. Joseph Sheehan of Holy Angels college, Buffalo, N. Y., have just returned from a very enjoyable vacation spent at the Rock View House, Long Branch, where they were the guests of Prof. Scotch of Fardale Academy.

BUCKLEY SAILED

AND PARTY OF LOWELL FRIENDS SAW HIM OFF.

A party of 12, headed by John J. Brine went to Boston today with John Buckley of the Ayer Co., who sailed this afternoon for Europe on the Saxonia. The crowd went down as far as Boston Light and there consigned their friend to the tender mercies of his fellow passengers.

BATTLESHIPS IN BOSTON.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

BOSTON, Aug. 18. The battleships Massachusetts and Kentucky arrived this morning from Rockland, Maine. The warships were ordered here to participate in the trial trip of the new battleship Alabama, which will take place over the Cape Ann course in about ten days. They form part of the North Atlantic squadron, which has been visiting the different Maine cities in the past two weeks, taking part in Old Home Week celebrations.

There were no salutes from the ships or the navy yard, as the vessels have been here within the time prescribed for the interchange of such courtesies.

PENSION CHANGES.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 18—The following changes, resulting from the issue of August 1, are announced:

Massachusetts.

Original—John H. Simpson, North Wilmington, $6.

Increase—Jacob Hall, Georgetown, $17.

Original Widows, etc.—Amanda [illegible] Pearson, Newburyport, $8; Special accrued August 3, Lucia R. Stewart, Avon, $12, Eliza F. Sears, Fair Haven, $8.

War with Spain, widows, etc.—Margaret Billingsley, Woburn, $12.

CONSPIRACY

To Assassinate President McKinley Discovered

By Associated Press to The Sun.

NEW YORK, Aug. 18—The Evening World today says: Instead of two, a high government official informed the Evening World today that there are fourteen detentions at the bureau of immigration. They are charged with being in a conspiracy to assassinate President McKinley and have been taken singly and in pairs from incoming ocean liners within the last ten days.

United States secret service agents learn that an anarchist circle in Naples has cast lots to determine who should be the assassin. Eleven Italians and three Austrians were selected. Closely followed they sailed from different ports. Their object was to strike individual blows at the president at the same time. That would make success sure. As fast as the men arrived, secret service agents disguised as emigrants went among them and they were arrested. Maresca and Welda, caught yesterday were two of the fourteen. The conspiracy was made on a night early in August. The fourteen are now detained by the emigration authorities and are either at the barge office at the battery or the detention quarters at quarantine.

One report is to the effect that some are in Ludlow street jail, having been taken there from Ellis Island in order to thwart any attempt to rescue them by Paterson anarchists.

So far as known the plan was for each man to proceed to Washington alone on a certain time. They were to surround the president, quietly waiting for an opportunity to strike. The blow was to be by a pistol and knife. One of the number, it was certain, would be successful. The question of escape was not considered, the men being willing to sacrifice their lives. The two men who did not meet their fellow anarchists were Maresca and Welda. The two men did not come in the steerage as did the others. Maresca came as a steward in the steerage and Welda as a coal passer. They could have landed without going through the formalities of the barge office.

As far as known no one saw Welda come aboard and he was not discovered until six hours after the vessel sailed. When found he was secreted as a stowaway. He was put to work in the hold with the coal passers and kept busy until the boat reached quarantine.

It is not known that either of the two men saw the others during the eleven days of the run.

Chief Wilkie is quoted as saying:

"The two men are not arrested. They are simply detained at quarantine. They will be deported when the Kaiser Wilhelm goes back to Europe. It is true that on August first this government was advised from Naples that Maresca had left Italy for the United States with the purpose of attacking the president. It was said that the man was a most undesired immigrant. I may have a more interesting story to tell later.

PARKER MURDER

Mystery Believed to Have Been Solved

By Associated Press to The Sun.

MANCHESTER, N. H., Aug. 18.—The Mirror will tonight publish what is believed to be a solution of what is known and has been known for many years throughout southern New Hampshire as the "Parker murder mystery."

Jonas L. Parker was tax collector of Manchester and in the spring of 1845 he was murdered, after being enticed from his home and $[illegible] taken from his person. His throat was cut from ear to ear and he was otherwise wounded, as he had made a desperate struggle for his life. An open razor and a shoe knife ground to a point, were found beside him. His struggle, judging from the track in the snow was with one person, but there were carriage tracks leading from a spot near the scene of the tragedy, indicating that the murderer was driven away by an accomplice. The community and the state were aroused and Manchester offered a reward of $[illegible] for evidence that would convict the murderer, and the state of New Hampshire duplicated the reward. Three Wentworth brothers, hotel keepers, having a house at Saco, Me., were arrested for the crime and their trial was one of the most memorable in the annals of the state court. Franklin Pierce, afterwards president of the United States and General Benjamin F. Butler, defended the prisoners and they were acquitted. Some years afterwards, in April, 1849, a woman and two children were found murdered at Wilmington, Mass., and beside their dead bodies was found a shoe knife ground to a point and an open razor. The fact that these weapons used were the same at both the Parker murder and the Wilmington murder, caused General Butler, who was retained as counsel by Daniel Pierson, charged with being the perpetrator of the Wilmington crime, to ask his client after he was sentenced as to the murder in this city. Pierson admitted that he did it, and that he was accompanied by a man who drove him away in a carriage to Wilmington and that the man desired Parker killed out of revenge for his having refused to turn over to him a sum of money which he had placed with him in trust.

The Mirror's informant for this information is Nathaniel P. Ames of Medford, Mass., a man of 67 years of age, who was a boy in Manchester at the time of the murder. Mr. Ames further says that 18 months after the murder Pierson came to Manchester, put up at his father's house on the Stark corporation and the next morning induced him to take him to the scene of "where they killed Parker." Mr. Ames says the man was jovial until he reached the scene and that his appearance then underwent a complete change until he was afraid of him. Pierson gave him 25 cents to leave him. His description then tallied with the description afterwards given of the Wilmington murderer who was hanged.

JUDGE FLETCHER DEAD.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

BOSTON, Aug. 18. A special from Lancaster, N. H., announces the death there at 10 o'clock this forenoon of Judge Everett Fletcher. He was born in 1848. In 1883, he was a member of Governor Hale's staff and was appointed judge of probate court of Coos county in 1885. He resigned in 1892 to devote his attention to the law business.

NEW YORK'S POPULATION.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 18. The population of Greater New York, as indicated by the count just completed at the census office, is 3,437,202.

This includes the population of the boroughs of Manhattan and Bronx, previously announced, and those of Brooklyn, Richmond and Queens.

An approximate estimate of the increase since 1890 shows it to have been [illegible] per cent.

TEXTILE COUNCILS' PICNIC.

The Textile Councils of this city are holding their annual picnic this afternoon at Belle Grove. Three special electric cars from this city to the picnic grounds every half hour. About one o'clock the cars which left the square were crowded to their utmost capacity. It is expected that a couple of thousand people will attend the picnic. The last car will leave the grounds for this city at half past eleven o'clock.

BARTON AWARDED CONTRACT.

The bids for rebuilding the bridges on the Lowell road at Methuen have been opened by the selectmen of that town. The bidders were: C. E. Trumbull & Co. and J. Chambers of Lawrence, and Cyrus Barton of Lowell. The contract was awarded to Cyrus Barton he being the lowest bidder. There are four bridges on the line of the new macadamized road now being built that are to be rebuilt. The amount of Barton's bid was $2,135.00.

ANOTHER ARREST

Etta Warren Charged With Abandoning Her Child

Inspector Allen of this city went to Nashua this noon on the 11.10 electric and arrested Etta Warren, who is charged with abandoning her infant child last Wednesday evening. Inspector Allen went to Nashua last evening but owing to the lateness of the hour could not locate the woman. This morning he succeeded in locating her and brought her to this city early this afternoon where she is lodged at the station house.

Mary I. Warren, her sister, who was arrested last night and arraigned in police court this morning was released on bail.

SHOOTING MATCH.

A shooting match is being held this afternoon at the Dracut range between Co. I, First N. H. regiment and Co. C, Sixth Mass. regiment. The members of the Nashua team were met by the members of Co. C at Merrimack Square and escorted to the rifle range.

MORTALITY OF LOWELL

FOR THE WEEK ENDING AUGUST 18, 1900.

Population, 90,114; total deaths, 37; deaths under five, 11; infectious diseases, 1; acute lung diseases, 1; diphtheria, 1.

Death rate, 21.35 against 20.13 and 23.85 for previous two weeks.

Infectious diseases reported for the week ending Aug. 18, 1900: Diphtheria 11; measles 2; small-pox, 2.

BOARD OF HEALTH.

TRAINS TO AND FROM BOSTON

Southern Div.

To Boston. Lve	To Boston. Arr.	From Boston. Lve.	From Boston. Arr.
6 48	6 50	6 00	7 07
6 53	7 41	6 25	7 45
§6 39	7 31	6 43	7 55
6 42	7 52	8 10	8 52
§7 04	8 02	*8 33	9 00
*7 27	8 15	*9 03	9 35
*7 31	8 51	*9 30	10 07
7 45	8 55	*10 00	10 37
§7 50	8 55	10 17	11 34
8 50	9 25	10 45	11 55
9 15	10 55	*11 30	12 02
9 40	10 [illegible]	12 00	12 58
11 00	12 03	*1 03	1 38
*11 42	12 55	*1 15	1 [illegible]
§12 16	1 03	2 03	3 01
1 49	2 50	*3 03	3 38
*1 57	2 39	3 47	4 00
3 00	4 00	4 11	5 30
*3 47	4 36	4 47	5 55
§4 02	4 47	*5 00	5 38
4 25	5 30	5 33	6 26
*5 02	6 15	5 47	6 51
5 44	7 10	6 11	7 27
§6 02	7 05	*7 33	8 06
*7 19	8 00	*8 45	9 02
§8 42	9 37	10 15	11 13
		11 20	12 02

Sunday Trains

§6 39	7 30	2 18	3 05
*7 27	8 10	9 00	10 07
8 45	9 29	1 03	1 55
§9 17	10 09	5 00	6 03
§4 25	5 39	*7 33	8 04
§5 58	7 00	*8 45	9 22
		9 00	10 02

Western Div.

To Boston. Lve.	To Boston. Arr.	From Boston. Lve.	From Boston. Arr.
8 53	8 00	7 30	8 31
8 06	8 51	9 25	10 02
9 28	10 [illegible]	11 25	11 11
10 50	12 [illegible]	11 50	1 [illegible]
12 05	1 02	2 15	3 10
12 35	2 [illegible]	3 30	4 15
2 25	3 13	4 25	5 15
3 10	4 10	5 11	6 20
3 57	5 04	6 01	7 05
5 18	6 12	6 55	7 45
6 15	7 15	8 12	10 25
7 00	8 05	11 15	12 25
9 25	10 30		

Sunday Trains

8 15	9 27	8 00	9 17
12 05	1 [illegible]	12 00	1 02
1 05	2 16	5 00	6 25
5 00	6 55	6 45	9 10
8 18	9 12		

Trains by western division leave Lowell from Middlesex Street station.

*Express.

§From Middlesex Street Station only.

B Runs to Lowell Wednesdays and Saturdays only.

THE WEATHER

By Associated Press to The Sun.

BOSTON, Aug. 18.—Local forecast for Boston and vicinity: Fair weather tonight and Sunday; variable winds.

SPECIAL NOTICES

A BIG PRESENT.

A gray enamelled preserving kettle with a pound of tea and coffee. You should secure one of these. Dickson Bros., The Big Tea Dealers, 63 Merrimack street.

THE SUN ON SALE IN BOSTON.

The five o'clock edition of The Sun is on sale at the news stand in the Union station, Boston.

STEAMSHIP TICKETS AND DRAFTS.

Sold on the Cunard, Donaldson, White Star, American, Anchor, Allan and Leyland lines, to and from Boston, New York, Queenstown, Liverpool and all parts of Europe. Drafts issued for £1 and upward on all parts of Great Britain and Ireland. English sovereigns and Canada bills bought at Murphy's, 15 Appleton street.

LOCAL NEWS

Try Horne's Coal.

Have you had Pelham's Cigars?

F. A. M. Tobin's Printery. Tel. 813-2.

E. G. Parker is selling shoes cheap.

Elegant rubber-tired hacks at O'Donnell's stable. Telephone 439-4.

Dress Suit cases, solid leather, $5, worth $7. Devine's, 88 Merrimack St.

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For over a quarter of a century we have been supplying the people of Lowell with our high grade teas and coffees. Dickson Brothers, 63 Merrimack street.

SERMON SUBJECTS

ADVENT.

First, Rev. C. R. Crosselt, elder. "The outward and the inward man—or two men in one and their relation to each other."

BAPTIST.

Fifth Street, Rev. H. W. O. Millington. Rev. Bowley Green of Portland, Me., will preach morning and evening.

Wigginville chapel, at 6 30—Rev. Chas. R. McNally of the Worthen Street church will preach.

FREE BAPTIST.

Middlesex, Rev. Lewis Dexter, "Living in the spirit;" evening, "Lifting Christ before men."

Chelmsford Street, Rev. A. E. Kenyon. Rev. E. R. Caswell, formerly of the Middlesex street church, "Three-fold deliverance"

Paige Street, Rev. A. E. Wilson, "Our example," evening, "Certainty."

CONGREGATIONAL.

Eliot, Rev. J. M. Greene, Prof. Hicks of Andover will preach in the morning.

First Trinitarian, Rev. George F. Kenngott, Rev. F. I. Kelley of the Dracut Centre church. "The wayside ministry of Jesus;" evening, "A Divine Injunction."

Highland, Rev. C. L. Merriam, "Christ's message to manhood—to the individual;" evening, "Drifting."

Hillside, Dracut, Rev. J. P. Richardson, preaching by Miss Elizabeth S. Tobey of Boston; evening, C. E. meeting led by Royal P. Richardson.

Kirk Street, Rev. W. A. Bartlett. Rev. R. A. Beard, D. D., of Cambridge will preach morning and evening.

EPISCOPAL.

All Saints, Rev. Wilson Waters. No morning service; special musical service in the evening.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL.

Highland, Rev. G. M. Smiley, "The supreme motive in character."

St. Paul's, Rev. L. W. Staples, Rev. C. L. Fillebrown of Ayer will preach; evening, prayer meeting led by Dr. C. H. Stowell.

Worthen Street, Rev. J. F. Allen, the pastor, will preach at the usual services at the Worthen Street Baptist church; evening, Rev. N. W. Dearness will preach.

PRESBYTERIAN.

First, Rev. J. M. Craig, "Godliness is profitable;" evening, "The miracles of Christ."

Westminster, Rev. D. A. MacGhie. Rev. L. Norman Leith will preach in the morning; no evening service.

PRIMITIVE METHODIST.

First, Rev. N. W. Matthews, "The personal element;" evening, "Martha and Mary."

MISCELLANEOUS.

Christadelphian Ecclesia, Eagle hall, Wyman's Exchange, "The nature of a man from a scriptural standpoint."

First Spiritualist Society, Bartlett's Grove, Chelmsford street at 2.30 p. m. C. Fannie Allyn of Stoneham will occupy the platform.

HOSPITAL CASES

DOCTORS HAD A BUSY DAY WITH ACCIDENTS.

John Gallagher, 21, residing at 10 West Third street, was treated for a lacerated right leg below the knee yesterday at the Lowell hospital. Patrick Derrick, 27, of 130 Merrimack street, was taken to the Lowell hospital suffering from burns on the right hand caused by boiling water. Apostolis Vathopulos, a Greek, employed in the Merrimack, caught his right hand in machinery yesterday and lacerated one of his fingers. He was taken to the Lowell hospital. Robert Stringer, a diphtheria patient, was discharged yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gregoire with four of their trimmers, Mrs. Cushing, Misses Higgins, Curran and Lemerise, have just returned from New York, where they have been the past week attending the importers' openings.

Dyspepsia

Unless your liver acts well and your bowels move regularly each day, you cannot be cured of your dyspepsia. But an active liver and regular movement of the bowels will cure your indigestion. There's nothing in the world that does this so quickly and so nicely as Ayer's Pills.

WOMAN ARRESTED

One of Two Who Abandoned Child

GAVE NAME AND RESIDENCE OF MOTHER

Inspectors Will Go to Nashua for Her

Inspectors Lallamme and Allen arrested May I. Warren early last night at her residence in Hurd street, on the charge of abandoning the infant girl now being cared for at the city farm. She made a confession which implicated a sister residing in Nashua, N. H., as the mother of the child, and further assisted the inspector by disclosing the address of her sister. As a result it is probable that the Nashua woman will come into compulsory possession of her offspring and the authorities of the city farm will bid good-bye to "Polly Stack."

The inspectors were able to bring their work to a successful issue by the detailed and accurate descriptions given by Supt. Pander of the city farm, upon whom the women called at a late hour Wednesday night and who refused to entertain the idea of receiving the child without a permit. The superintendent sized up his callers very carefully, so that when a couple of hours later he was informed of the discovery of the infant on the door steps of a neighbor he was able to give the Lowell police perfect descriptions of the women. The woman now under arrest is the one who held the infant and did all the talking with the superintendent. As he afterwards stated, she is not the mother of the child. If her statement is to be believed her sister is the mother of the infant.

When the inspectors called at a certain boarding house in Hurd street last night and asked for Miss Warren, the latter did not appear surprised, although she was somewhat agitated. After a few minutes' conversation she admitted everything, but said that no harm was intended to the little one. Upon being asked as to the mother of the child she hesitated a moment, and then replied that the mother lived in Nashua. Later she gave the address of her sister.

At the police station she gave the name as above stated, she said she was 21 years old and was a housekeeper by occupation. She is a rather striking woman in appearance. She has blue eyes and regular features and her complexion is light. An effort is being made to locate her sister and it is more than probable that it will be successful, although if she wishes she can cause considerable trouble to those who would arrest her by insisting on extradition papers.

The woman now at the police station was brought before Judge Hadley in the police court this morning. The infant that has caused the source of all the trouble is at the city farm receiving the best of care. She is such a healthy, fine looking baby that even though separated permanently from her mother she would not want for a good home as there would be numerous applicants for her adoption.

RETURNED FROM EUROPE

BENJAMIN HOLGATE VISITED FOREIGN TEXTILE SCHOOLS.

Benjamin Holgate, clerk at the Lowell Textile school, has returned from an extended visit to England where he visited many of the textile schools and incidentally took note of the systems there. Among those visited was the large school in Manchester, the greatest textile school in the world. The buildings are devoted entirely to textile work and each room occupies an entire edifice. But they are imitating their cousins on this side of the globe by utilizing every inch of space, and many machines are placed into nooks and corners that were formerly vacant.

Mr. Holgate thinks as a textile school our own will compare favorably with any of those abroad but as technical schools they outclass us by a large margin. He found his visit replete of much good in the many interesting things observed in the well equipped schools of the mother country.

AZALEA CLUB OUTING.

At Belle Grove, last evening, the popular Azalea club of Lowell held its second outing which proved a very enjoyable event. Shortly after 8 o'clock, with Atwood's orchestra in attendance, dancing was begun and about 100 couples joined in the opening waltz. The party came to an end at midnight when a special car took the merry dancers home.

The officers of the affair were: General manager, John Quinn; assistant, Joseph Mongrain; floor director, Stanley O'Brien; assistant, Philip McNeeley; chief aid, Patrick Tarpey; aids, John J. Holden, Joseph J. O'Brien, Daniel F. Donohoe, Charles Larkin, Daniel Clark, Connie McCarthy, Oscar Perrault.

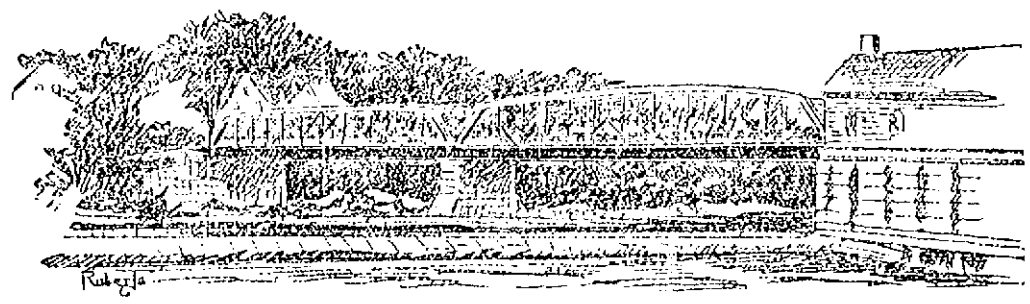
NARROW ESCAPE

UNKNOWN MAN RUN OVER BY A HEAVY WAGON.

While passing through Prescott street last evening, an unknown man had a narrow escape from being killed. When in front of Shattuck's bicycle store the man, who was intoxicated, started to cross the road to the opposite side of the street. A tandem was passing at the time and the man, in trying to get out of its way, ran into a heavy furniture wagon. The horses knocked the man down and the wheels of the wagon passed over his legs.

He picked himself up and crawled to the curbing, where he sat for a while, after which he limped away. The people who saw the accident thought the man was killed, until they saw him crawl.

Miss Lillian Roy of Cedar street has returned home after having visited many points of interest along the New England coast.



THE PAWTUCKET BRIDGE.
Condemned as Unsafe for Heavy Traffic by Engineer Bowers.

PAWTUCKET BRIDGE

Is Falling Down Says Engineer Bowers

And Street Committee Votes to Investigate Into the Cost of a New Bridge to Replace it—County, Locks & Canals and Street Railroad Should Share the Cost—An Echo From the Smooth Paving Post—Why Does Cheney Work His Men Half Time?

The unsafe condition of the Pawtucket bridge was formally brought to the attention of the street committee last evening and after a discussion on the method of improving the conditions at the bridge, voted to prepare plans for a new structure.

There were present at the meeting Alderman Beaulieu, who presided, Alderman Carmichael and Councilmen Casey, Lebrun, Hatch and Burns, of the committee, and Alderman Taylor and several members of the council not of the committee.

The Pawtucket bridge matter was the first considered. Engineer Bowers declared it to be in an unsafe condition and it was voted the sense of the committee that a new bridge is needed, and then the probable cost was considered. Mr. Bowers stated that a new bridge, with plank flooring, would cost about $12,000, and with permanent flooring, $30,000. This would mean using the present foundation piers and abutments.

On motion of Alderman Carmichael the city engineer and city solicitor were instructed to take measures to learn what the Locks & Canals, the street railway company and the county commissioner will do toward bearing the expense for a new bridge. The road is a county road and the bridge accommodates North Chelmsford, Tyngsboro, Dracut and the other towns as well as Lowell, so that the county as well as the city is accommodated. The street railway company has agreed according to a statement made in the meeting, to pay part of the expense of repairing the bridge, so the offer was believed to hold good if it was decided to put up a new bridge.

Mr. Bowers stated that there was an actual danger if heavy teams or cars passed over the bridge faster than a walk, and if more than one heavy team went across at the same time. Unless the warning signs were heeded it would be necessary to shut up the bridge entirely. Mr. Carmichael made another motion that four signs be prepared with proper reading matter to warn and inform the public of the condition of the bridge and what precautions must be exercised to avoid unnecessary danger.

It was voted later in the meeting to have a new and public hearing on Thursday, Sept. 6. At that meeting, also, these matters will be considered:

Regarding a change of the name Davenport street, east to Davenport Terrace, west; for a bicycle path on both sides of Andover and Chelmsford streets to Westford street; that Charles square and Stark square be paved; that a part of Mammoth road to Stanhope street be laid out.

Batchelder's case was represented in very bold condition and it was voted to call the attention of the superintendent of streets to the place and recommend that it be put in proper condition.

Mr. E. T. McVey was given leave to withdraw his petition for a sidewalk in front of his premises in Pearson street. The sidewalk has been built since the presentation of the petition.

The Pawtucket Street Railroad asked that the Moody street sidewalk from Third to Fifth avenue be finished and that with access be macadamized. It was recommended that the macadam be laid and a hearing was granted on the sidewalk petition.

SMOOTH PAVING AGAIN.

Alderman Carmichael then gave the committee some valuable information regarding smooth paving, in the following letters from Albany and Syracuse, N. Y.:

Syracuse, N. Y., Aug. 9, 1900.
Mr. James Carmichael, Central Block, Lowell, Mass.

My Dear Sir—In answer to your esteemed favor of the 8th inst. am I beg to inform you that Syracuse now has about 60 miles of asphalt paved streets. They are paved with Trinidad asphalt, some Empire asphalt, some Bermuda and some California.

It is safe to say that five-sixths of the asphalt streets are paved with Trinidad Lake asphalt. On the whole, asphalt wears well in Syracuse, although the laying in certain streets has not proved quite satisfactory.

Asphalt pavement is the most desirable pavement in Syracuse. Our streets are cleaned by the hand-sweeping system, which, of course, makes a fine-looking pavement. It is certainly the most popular pavement here. My individual preference is for the large Hallwood block brick, such as laid in Cortlandt avenue in our city, although I am frank to admit that our townsmen do not agree with me in this respect.

The streets of our city are sprinkled by contract and the same is charged up to the property owners through local assessment. We had the street car sprinkler in our city, but I consider it a nuisance, as it wet the streets too much and frightened the horses.

Very truly,
JAMES K. McGUIRE, Mayor.

Syracuse, N. Y., Aug. 15th, 1900.
James H. Carmichael, Esq., Central Block, Lowell, Mass.

Dear Sir—I am in receipt of your esteemed favor of the 14th inst., and would say that, as I understand it, there are two kinds of Trinidad Lake asphalt. One is the pure lake article taken from the lake deposits, and the other is pitch taken from land near the lake. I should think that the general term "Trinidad Lake Asphalt" would cover both. There is much deception in the word, and it is quite impossible for the ordinary expert to be able to detect the difference. My opinion is, that you must rely upon your guarantee and make the specifications as broad and open as possible in order to restrict the monopoly. As I understand it, all Trinidad sheet asphalt is controlled by the asphalt trust, and there is actually no competition in that product.

It is five or six years since we laid the Hallwood pavement in Cortlandt avenue, and you will have to write to Ohio for prices.

The street car sprinkler was used in the street sprinkling contracts, and I think the price was about 1 1-2 cents per square yard per diem. The abutting property owners paid the cost along the streets. Yours very truly,

JAMES K. McGUIRE.

Albany, N. Y., Aug. 16, 1900.
James H. Carmichael, Esq., Lowell, Mass.

Dear Sir—Your letter of the 8th inst., addressed to the mayor of this city, inquiring in regard to traction road sprinkling and street pavements has been referred for reply to this department.

The United Traction company of this city does not sprinkle its tracks, with the exception of one level stretch about a mile long in the suburban district, which they sprinkle free of cost to the city.

Asphalt pavement to the extent of 281,072 square yards, was laid here between the years 1889 and 1898, inclusive. The principal defect with the pavement has been the disintegration of the wearing surface, causing large ruts and hollows in the surface of the pavement.

In the last seven years the city has paved only with dimension granite blocks and vitrified bricks laid on six inches of concrete, the last prices for which were $2.70 and $1.78 per square yard respectively.

Cost of the work is assessed on abutting owners, extense of street intersections is granted on street improvement, also on lateral streets to railways of the block. Very truly yours,

WALTER MERRITT,
City Engineer.

Mr. Barry called attention to the fact, or he understood it to be a fact, that the superintendent of streets was employing his teams only half the week and laying off the men and keeping the horses idle the other half.

The chairman was instructed to learn if the superintendent of streets is hiring teams from outside parties and not using department teams, and keeping his own teams and men idle.

The question of macadamizing Agawam street was laid on the table. The superintendent of streets was instructed to have the street sweeper used Saturday nights in order that the streets may be clean on Sunday. His attention was also called to the dangerous condition of the Lawrence street bridge and he was requested to give an estimate as to the cost of repairing the bridge.

The chairman called attention to the condition of Alton street and stated that paving or macadamizing was necessary. It was decided to view the street Sept. 6.

SHOULDER DISLOCATED.

Mr. Mark A. Avery of Leroy street is nursing a dislocated shoulder, the result of an accident on a lighthouse off Long Island, Maine. Mr. Avery fell while descending from the lighthouse to a boat and was rowed a distance of seven miles before he had medical attendance.

A PUNGENT FOOD DRINK
With the Taste of Coffee.

"Perhaps no one has suffered more from the use of coffee or felt offener in the attempt to leave it off, than I have. Although I never drank more than half a cup at a time, it even then gave me sour stomach and a whole catalogue of misery. This kept up for a long period and time and again I resolved that I positively would drink no more coffee, but alas, the rest of the family used it, and, like the reformed drunkard who smells whiskey and falls again, when I smelled coffee, I could not resist it.

"Finally we came to try Postum Food Coffee and my trouble was over at once. There I had my favorite beverage, a crisp, dark brown, rich coffee, with a fine pungent coffee taste, and yet with no sour stomach or nervous troubles after it. On the contrary I have gained gradually in strength and sturdy health. All who have spoken to me about Postum agree, and we have found it so, that the directions for making must be followed, and it must be boiled at least fifteen minutes, or more, and it also requires the addition of good cream. We have tried boiling it a few minutes when in a special hurry, but found it insipid and unsatisfactory; whereas by proper boiling, it is dark and rich, with a delightful flavor.

"Dr. McMillan of Sunbeam, Ill., said he had used Postum and found it to be just as good as coffee, and more healthful. He is an M.D. of fine standing. Mr. David Strong and sister have left off coffee and are using Postum. They find it much more healthful. Rev. W. T. Campbell, pastor of the Second United Presbyterian Church of this city, says: 'You may say anything good that you wish about Postum Food Coffee and I will substantiate it.' He was a great lover of coffee and yet found it very injurious to his health. He now drinks Postum three times a day and the old troubles have disappeared.

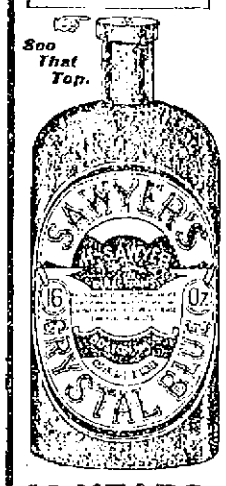
"I shrink from having my name appear in public. The statement I have given you is truthful, and I hope will aid some people to discover that coffee is the cause of their aches and ails, and they are in a way to get rid of their troubles by leaving off coffee and taking Postum Food Coffee."

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GEN. CHAFFEE, WHO COMMANDED THE AMERICAN TROOPS AT THE BATTLE OF PEKIN.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

SHANGHAI, AUG. 18.—10.20 A.M.—THE GENERAL ATTACK ON PEKIN BEGAN AUGUST 15, IN THE MORNING. THE ENEMY OBSTINATELY RESISTED. THE SAME EVENING THE JAPANESE DEMOLISHED THE CHAN LANG AND TONG CHI GATES AND ENTERED THE CAPITAL. THE OTHER ARMIES ENTERED BY THE TONG QUIEN GATE. THEY SENT DETACHMENTS AT ONCE TO THE LEGATIONS, WHERE THE MINISTERS WERE FOUND SAFE.

FALL OF PEKIN FULLY CONFIRMED

By Associated Press to The Sun.

WASHINGTON, AUG. 18.—THE ALLIED ARMIES HAVE CAPTURED AND ENTERED PEKIN IN THE FACE OF OBSTINATE RESISTANCE, AND THE MEMBERS OF THE FOREIGN LEGATIONS ARE SAFE. OFFICIAL CONFIRMATION OF THE FALL OF THE CHINESE CAPITAL CAME TO THE UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT LAST NIGHT IN THE SHAPE OF TWO CABLEGRAMS, ONE FROM ADMIRAL REMEY AND THE OTHER FROM CONSUL FOWLER AT CHEFOO. THE CABLEGRAM FROM ADMIRAL REMEY CAME TO HAND FIRST, EARLY IN THE EVENING, FOLLOWED VERY SOON AFTER BY THAT FROM CONSUL FOWLER AND THE OFFICIALS, REALIZING THE GREAT PUBLIC INTEREST IN THE EVENTS WHICH IT WAS BELIEVED HAD HAPPENED IN PEKIN, AT ONCE MADE THEM PUBLIC. CONSUL FOWLER'S DESPATCH IS AS FOLLOWS:

PEKIN TAKEN AFTER HARD BATTLE

By Associated Press to The Sun.

WASHINGTON, AUG. 18.—THE ACTING SECRETARY OF STATE MAKES PUBLIC THE FOLLOWING PLAIN TELEGRAM RECEIVED LAST (FRIDAY) EVENING FROM THE UNITED STATES CONSUL AT CHE FOO:

"CHE FOO, AUG. 17, 1900 (RECEIVED AUG. 17, 7.55 P. M.) SECRETARY OF STATE, WASHINGTON, SEVENTEEN. JAPANESE ADMIRAL REPORTS ALLIES ATTACKED PEKIN, EAST, 15TH. OBSTINATE RESISTANCE. EVENING, JAPANESE ENTERED CAPITAL WITH OTHER FORCES. IMMEDIATELY SURROUNDED LEGATIONS. INMATES SAFE. JAPANESE LOSS OVER 100. CHINESE 300.

"FOWLER."

GOOD NEWS CONFIRMED BY REMEY

By Associated Press to The Sun.

WASHINGTON, AUG. 18.—THE NAVY DEPARTMENT LAST NIGHT RECEIVED THE FOLLOWING CABLEGRAM FROM ADMIRAL REMEY:

"TAKU, AUG. 17, 1 A. M.

"BUREAU OF NAVIGATION WASHINGTON:

"JUST RECEIVED TELEGRAM FROM TIEN-TSIN DATED 16TH, 10 P. M.:

"'PEKIN WAS CAPTURED ON AUG. 15TH. FOREIGN LEGATIONS ARE SAFE. DETAILS FOLLOW SHORTLY.'

(SIGNED) "REMEY."

CHINESE SITUATION CAUSES REJOICING

By Associated Press to The Sun.

LONDON, Aug. 18—4 a.m.—"Pekin was relieved on the night of the 15th." This message was received last evening at the imperial customs office in London from the commissioner of customs in Che Foo. It is the only official message that has reached England in confirmation of the earlier reports. Admiral Remey's despatch did not arrive in time for publication in the morning papers.

The Morning Post which is the only paper printing the Che Foo message,

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TRAIN WRECKERS

Nearly Sent a Train to Destruction

By Associated Press to The Sun.

NEW YORK, Aug. 18.—A desperate attempt was made to wreck the 10.30 o'clock express on the Pennsylvania road, from Atlantic City for Philadelphia, on the Meadows back of Atlantic City, late last night, says a despatch. The train which carried more than 200 passengers, was almost derailed.

The train was crossing the meadows at a rate of 35 miles an hour, when near Johnson's Thoroughfare bridge, Engineer Willetts saw an obstruction on the tracks ahead. Jamming on the air brakes, he made a desperate effort to stop his train, but the engine plunged with great force into a big pile of railroad ties.

The locomotive rose bodily from the track and mounted up over the obstruction, only its weight preventing it from being thrown into a deep ditch and totally wrecked.

The train hands at once made an investigation and found that about 15 ties had been piled on the track and wedged together in such a way as to form an almost solid mass. The impact of the heavy train had scattered the timbers. None of the passengers was seriously injured, but some of them were considerably shaken up by the sudden stoppage. The only possible motive for the deed is robbery.

WILLIAM KRANE ALIVE.

The identity of the William Krane who left a note in a Greenwich, Conn., hotel to the effect that he intended committing suicide has not been determined. The only man of a similar name, who has been away from Lowell for a few days has his home in Centralville. He is enjoying a vacation in Moultonville, N. H., and writes that he is in the best of health.

IN NEED OF REPAIR.

Aiken street bridge is badly in need of repairs. The roadway of this bridge is in wretched condition, and if the city does not care for it before long they may have a suit for damages on their hands as a result of their neglect.

SUPERIOR COURT.

The Superior Court, civil session, will come in at both Lowell and East Cambridge the second Monday of next month.

AN ESTIMATE

OF THE POPULATION OF THIS CITY.

The assessors' office estimates that the population of Lowell will be about 93,099.

NEW MACHINERY.

New machinery is being placed in the Brown hosiery on Plain street, which has recently been enlarged, increasing the capacity of that industry one-half.

Mr. James Morris, salesman at Arthur Cumminskey's is to enjoy his vacation at Revere Beach.

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NIGHT EDITION

SIX O'CLOCK

POWERS IS GUILTY

Of Goebel's Murder and Sentenced for Life

By Associated Press to The Sun.

GEORGETOWN, KY., AUG. 18.—CALEB POWERS WAS FOUND GUILTY THIS AFTERNOON OF COMPLICITY IN THE GOEBEL MURDER AND WAS SENTENCED TO LIFE IMPRISONMENT.

LEAVING LONDON

Americans Are Starting for This Country

Sen. Depew Examined the Electric Underground Railroad — He Talks on Development of Our Industries

By Associated Press to The Sun.

LONDON, Aug. 18.—The tide of American travel is still strong towards London. Many residents of the other side of the Atlantic, having exhausted the Paris exposition, are recuperating in England; and the hotels frequented by Americans are filled this week as they have not been since the opening of the season. Coaching is the delight of most of the Americans. Since Mr. Albert L. Johnson of Brooklyn, N. Y., drove his six-horse coach through London there have been many candidates for similar honors. Among the energetic young coachmen is Charles DeYoung, a son of M. DeYoung, proprietor of the San Francisco Chronicle. Incidentally, San Francisco is abundantly represented in London. Aside from Mr. DeYoung's party, at a West End table, the other evening, were Mayor Phelan, Walter Martin and Peter Donohue of the Pasal household. Mr. E. H. Butler, proprietor of the Buffalo News, another enthusiastic driver, has bought a coach as a birthday present to his son. There have been enough American electric railroad promoters at the Carlton this week to carry through any scheme for rapid transit in London which can be devised. Mr. T. L. Johnson of Brooklyn came from Paris Thursday and under the same roof were Mr. W. L. Elkin and P. A. B. Widener of Philadelphia (who have since gone to the continent), and Mr. Edwin Johnson, representing the Edison company. These gentlemen have been studying the Central Underground railroad. Mr. Elkins informed a representative of The Associated Press that he and his associates really had no definite plans for work in London, in spite of the fact that they have been in consultation with several of the city railroad owners.

STEAMERS CROWDED.

The outgoing steamers today are crowded. Senator Depew sails on the steamer New York. He spent the last days of his stay here in examining the new electric underground railroad. He has also been in consultation with British financiers who are specially interested in the ability of the United States to make loans to Europe. The senator said:

"The sudden development of our industries and the immense accumulation of money growing out of the fact that Europe is paying $600,000,000 annually for American products has not only brought the bank rate and call loans up one and two per cent, respectively, but the western banks are now buying paper in the east because there is no demand for money. The fact that half the British war loan (all if it had been permitted), was taken in the United States demonstrates these conditions which have already made New York one of the financial centers of the world. If the conditions continue, and I have no doubt they will, New York will soon be a dangerous rival of London in financing the government enterprises of the world. The rapid information we are acquiring regarding the industrial conditions of the world, the necessity of finding a market for our increasing surplus of the Chinese problem tend to make New York an active competitor in the schemes for the development of the far east. It is a poor possibility that the New York stock exchange will actively deal in many foreign stocks and bonds. The United States, with three thousand miles of ocean from European governmental complications, will never take a militant part in the rivalries, jealousies and wars of Europe. These very miseries, the wars, make the United States every year stronger as a financial factor and will, I believe, make New York the financial center of the world. Up to two years ago, the European cabinets took no interest in American diplomacy and finance. America was regarded as a granary in times of poor harvest on this side and a dumping ground for surplus population. Now, no cabinet in Europe makes a move without considering what is the position of the United States in the matter."

MARRIAGE INTENTIONS

RECORDED AT THE CITY CLERK'S OFFICE THIS WEEK.

The following marriage intentions were recorded at the city clerk's office this week: Victor Zezzle to Kabarzyna Jeskalka; Edmund Gosselin to Agnes Hopkins; Charles Patenaude to Mary Louise; George S. Grant to Maude E. Brown; Charles T. Farrell to Jennie E. Brady; William H. Miller to Carrie B. Belleford; Theophile Deschamps to Frances Gelske; Ernest F. Byorkary to Ida S. Pihl; Paul McPhee to Catherine M. Manning; Louis Peladeau to Delia Dubuque; George E. Lambert to Alice G. Logan, Pierre V. Dubois to Annie L. O'Donnell; Antonio J. Furtado to Palomena J. Fernandes; Joseph Rochelean to Marie L. Roland; Charles McConnell to Carrie McFee, Frank W. Davy to Bertha M. Jennings, Ucile Dore to Josephine Robitaille; George F. Taylor to Elizabeth H. Mosley; Antonio M. Dutra to Veronica Silva; Alfred Desvignes to North Chartier, Alexander G. Jelly to Gracie Bourdon.

RILEY EXPLAINS.

It is said that Charles Riley, the ward five assessor, has told John P. McEnroy, one of the principal assessors, that John T. Donohue gave him the list of names that he returned to the principal assessors as living at No. 15 Union street.

Mr. P. Stephen Peppard of the North Western Insurance Co., Mr. P. James Kerwin, a trusted employe of Uncle Sam and Mr. M. Joseph Sheehan of Holy Angels college, Buffalo, N. Y., have just returned from a very enjoyable vacation spent at the Rock View House, Long Branch, where they were the guests of Prof. Scotch of Fardale Academy.

BUCKLEY SAILED

AND PARTY OF LOWELL FRIENDS SAW HIM OFF.

A party of 12, headed by John J. Brine went to Boston today with John Buckley of the Ayer Co., who sailed this afternoon for Europe on the Saxonia. The crowd went down as far as Boston Light and there consigned their friend to the tender mercies of his fellow passengers.

BATTLESHIPS IN BOSTON.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

BOSTON, Aug. 18.—The battleships Massachusetts and Kentucky arrived this morning from Rockland, Maine. The warships were ordered here to participate in the trial trip of the new battleship Alabama, which will take place over the Cape Ann course in about ten days. They form part of the North Atlantic squadron, which has been visiting the different Maine cities in the past two weeks, taking part in Old Home Week celebrations.

There were no salutes from the ships or the navy yard, as the vessels have been here within the time prescribed for the interchange of such courtesies.

PENSION CHANGES.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 18.—The following changes, resulting from the issue of August 1, are announced:

Massachusetts.

Original—John H. Simpson, North Wilmington, $6.

Increase—Jacob Hall, Georgetown, $17.

Original Widows, etc.—Amanda O. Pearson, Newburyport, $8; Special accrued August 3, Lucia R. Stewart, Avon, $12, Eliza F. Sears, Fair Haven, $8.

War with Spain, widows, etc.—Margaret Billingsley, Woburn, $12.

CONSPIRACY

To Assassinate President McKinley Discovered

By Associated Press to The Sun.

NEW YORK, Aug. 18.—The Evening World today says: Instead of two, a high government official informed the Evening World today that there are fourteen detentions at the bureau of immigration. They are charged with being in a conspiracy to assassinate President McKinley and have been taken singly and in pairs from incoming ocean liners within the last ten days.

United States secret service agents learn that an anarchist circle in Naples has cast lots to determine who should be the assassin. Eleven Italians and three Austrians were selected. Closely followed they sailed from different ports. Their object was to strike individual blows at the president at the same time. That would make success sure. As fast as the men arrived, secret service agents disguised as emigrants went among them and they were arrested. Maresca and Welda, caught yesterday were two of the fourteen. The conspiracy was made on a night early in August. The fourteen are now detained by the emigration authorities and are either at the barge office at the battery or the detention quarters at quarantine.

One report is to the effect that some are in Ludlow street jail, having been taken there from Ellis Island in order to thwart any attempt to rescue them by Paterson anarchists.

So far as known the plan was for each man to proceed to Washington alone on a certain time. They were to surround the president, quietly waiting for an opportunity to strike. The blow was to be by a pistol and knife. One of the number, it was certain, would be successful. The question of escape was not considered, the men being willing to sacrifice their lives. The two men who did not meet their fellow anarchists were Maresca and Welda. The two men did not come in the steerage as did the others. Maresca came as a steward in the steerage and Welda as a coal passer. They could have landed without going through the formalities of the barge office.

As far as known no one saw Welda come aboard and he was not discovered until six hours after the vessel sailed. When found he was secreted as a stowaway. He was put to work in the hold with the coal passers and kept busy until the boat reached quarantine.

It is not known that either of the two men saw the others during the eleven days of the run.

Chief Wilkie is quoted as saying:

"The two men are not arrested. They are simply detained at quarantine. They will be deported when the Kaiser Wilhelm goes back to Europe. It is true that on August first this government was advised from Naples that Maresca had left Italy for the United States with the purpose of attacking the president. It was said that the man was a most undesired immigrant. I may have a more interesting story to tell later.

PARKER MURDER

Mystery Believed to Have Been Solved

By Associated Press to The Sun.

MANCHESTER, N. H., Aug. 18.—The Mirror will tonight publish what is believed to be a solution of what is known and has been known for many years throughout southern New Hampshire as the "Parker murder mystery."

Jonas L. Parker was tax collector of Manchester and in the spring of 1845 he was murdered, after being enticed from his home and $700 taken from his person. His throat was cut from ear to ear and he was otherwise wounded, as he had made a desperate struggle for his life. An open razor and a shoe knife ground to a point, were found beside him. His struggle, judging from the track in the snow was with one person, but there were carriage tracks leading from a spot near the scene of the tragedy, indicating that the murderer was driven away by an accomplice. The community and the state were aroused, and Manchester offered a reward of $1500 for evidence that would convict the murderer, and the state of New Hampshire duplicated the reward. Three Wentworth brothers, hotel keepers, having a house at Saco, Me., were arrested for the crime and their trial was one of the most memorable in the annals of the state court. Franklin Pierce, afterwards president of the United States and General Benjamin F. Butler, defended the prisoners and they were acquitted. Some years afterwards, in April, 1855, a woman and two children were found murdered at Wilmington, Mass., and beside their dead bodies was found a shoe knife ground to a point and an open razor. The fact that these weapons used were the same at both the Parker murder and the Wilmington murder, caused General Butler, who was retained as counsel by Daniel Pierson, charged with being the perpetrator of the Wilmington crime, to ask his client after he was sentenced as to the murder in this city. Pierson admitted that he did it, and that he was accompanied by a man who drove him away in a carriage to Wilmington and that the man desired Parker killed out of revenge for his having refused to turn over to him a sum of money which he had placed with him in trust.

The Mirror's informant for this information is Nathaniel P. Ames of Medford, Mass., a man 65 years of age, who was a boy in Manchester at the time of the murder. Mr. Ames further says that 18 months after the murder Pierson came to Manchester, put up at his father's house on the Stark corporation and the next morning induced him to take him to the scene of "where they killed Parker." Mr. Ames says the man was jovial until he reached the scene and that his appearance then underwent a complete change and he was afraid of him. Pierson gave him 25 cents to leave him. His description then tallied with the description afterwards given of the Wilmington murderer who was hanged.

JUDGE FLETCHER DEAD.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

BOSTON, Aug. 18.—A special from Lancaster, N. H., announces the death there at 10 o'clock this forenoon of Judge Everett Fletcher. He was born in 1848. In 1883 he was a member of Governor Hale's staff and was appointed judge of probate court in Coos county in 1885. He resigned it, but to devote his attention to the law business.

NEW YORK'S POPULATION.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 18.—The population of Greater New York, as indicated by the count just completed at the census office, is 3,437,202.

This includes the population of the boroughs of Manhattan and Bronx, previously announced, and those of Brooklyn, Richmond and Queens.

An approximate estimate of the increase since 1890 shows it to have been 37.1 per cent.

TEXTILE COUNCILS' PICNIC.

The Textile Councils of this city are running their annual picnic this afternoon at Belle Grove. Three special electric cars from this city to the picnic grounds every half hour. About one o'clock the cars which left the square were crowded to their utmost capacity. It is expected that a couple of thousand people will attend the picnic. The last car will leave the grounds for this city at half past eleven o'clock.

BARTON AWARDED CONTRACT.

The bids for rebuilding the bridges on the Lowell road at Methuen have been opened by the selectmen of that town. The bidders were C. E. Trumbull & Co. and J. Chambers of Lawrence and Cyrus Barton of Lowell. The contract was awarded to Cyrus Barton he being the lowest bidder. There are four bridges on the line of the new macadamized road now being built that are to be rebuilt. The amount of Barton's bid was $2,125.01.

ANOTHER ARREST

Etta Warren Charged With Abandoning Her Child

Inspector Allen of this city went to Nashua this noon on the 11.10 electric and arrested Etta Warren, who is charged with abandoning her infant child last Wednesday evening. Inspector Allen went to Nashua last evening but owing to the lateness of the hour could not locate the woman. This morning he succeeded in locating her and brought her to this city early this afternoon where she is held at the station house.

Mary I. Warren, her sister, who was arrested last night and arraigned in police court this morning was released on bail.

SHOOTING MATCH.

A shooting match is being held this afternoon at the Dracut range between Co. I, First N. H. regiment and Co. C, Sixth Mass. regiment. The members of the Nashua team were met by the members of Co. C at Merrimack Square and escorted to the rifle range.

MORTALITY OF LOWELL

FOR THE WEEK ENDING AUGUST 18, 1900.

Population, 93,414; total deaths, 37; deaths under five, 14; infectious diseases, 1; acute lung diseases, 1; diphtheria, 1.

Death rate, 21.35 against 20.13 and 25.55 for previous two weeks.

Infectious diseases reported for the week ending Aug. 18, 1900: Diphtheria 12; measles 2; small-pox, 2.

BOARD OF HEALTH.

THE SUN LATEST

5 O'CLOCK

TROOPS OUT

And Patrolling Streets of Liberty City

By Associated Press to The Sun.

JESUP, Ga., Aug. 18.—Liberty City, two stations below Jesup, and in a remote southeastern portion of the state, is being patrolled by hundreds of armed men, two troops of cavalry, the Liberty Independents and Liberty Guards ,while men are sending away their women and children to escape the troubles that are expected to break out afresh tonight after 12 hours' cessation.

It is another of those race troubles that grew out of the killing of a white man by irresponsible negroes in a section where the blacks outnumber the whites three to one, and, as usual, the effect on the innocent, both white and black, is fearful.

Since the riot's inception, three days ago, two white men and three negroes have been killed, one white man has been seriously wounded by a powder explosion and last night's rioting culminated in the actual shooting of Col. James Thomas, a prominent Wayne county politician, who was a member of Sheriff Lyon's rescuing posse; the burning of stores at Liberty City and Walkerville and an attempt to wreck a Plant System passenger train by negroes, who believed Sheriff Lyon's posse was on board. Sheriff Lyons returned to Jesup yesterday with his wounded assistants.

A BRAVE MOTHER

Risked Her Life to Save Her Child

LITTLE ONE FELL FROM WHARF

Both of Them Were in Great Danger

By Associated Press to The Sun.

LYNN, Aug. 18.—Mrs. Joseph Shooks of Charles street proved herself a heroine yesterday afternoon. She willingly placed her life in jeopardy to preserve that of her 4-year-old daughter who had fallen from a wharf.

Joseph Shooks, his wife and daughter left their home on Stickney street and walked to the wharf of the West Lynn yacht club off Commercial street. The child was playing on the dock near her mother when she suddenly rolled into the water.

The mother screamed and without an instant's hesitation jumped off the wharf after the child. Mr. Shooks tried to grasp his wife as she flew past him, but he only succeeded in catching a slight hold of her dress and this he was compelled to relinquish.

The child and mother sank from sight, but their cries and that of Shooks brought Joseph Hyde, a neighbor to the scene, and he immediately plunged overboard. He succeeded in diving and catching the child and handing her to the almost frenzied father, and then turned his attention to the drowning mother.

With difficulty he succeeded in keeping her head above water, and with the assistance of reserve officer Lyons landing her safely on the wharf. Even when in the water, the woman kept crying to the men to save her child and although weak and exhausted when drawn from the harbor, she was anxious, when not unconscious, in ascertaining whether the life of the little one had been spared.

While the policeman and others rolled the child on a barrel and succeeded in resuscitating her, others assisted the mother and both were taken to their home.

POLITICAL FIGHT

IN WHICH REVOLVERS AND CLUBS FIGURED.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

SAN JUAN, P. R., Aug. 18.—Yesterday at Mayaguez a crowd of federals and republicans got together and after heated political disputes, 30 revolver shots were exchanged and clubs and other weapons freely used. One man was killed outright and a dozen others were injured, two fatally.

MANY REFUGEES

FROM CHINA ARRIVED AT SAN FRANCISCO.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Aug. 18.—A number of refugees have arrived here from China on the steamer Hong Kong Maru. Among them are Dr. P. C. Leslie of Montreal; Dr. C. H. Beeman from Siam; Mrs. L. Dortsellar, from Japan and Dr. and Mrs. W. Malcolm and two children; Mrs. W. C. McClure and three children; Mrs. F. W. Partress and child; Dr. and Mrs. J. E. Skinner and two children; and Dr. H. G. Whelpley from China.

BOLD BURGLARS

COMMITTED MURDEROUS ASSAULT ON A WOMAN.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

BOSTON, Aug. 18.—Mrs. Bettie Allen, 27 years old, was murderously assaulted by a burglar, who had gained an entrance into her house at 55 Corning street at 2.30 this morning.

She was stabbed in three places on the head. One wound is on her forehead and the other two are in either temple.

AGNES McCOMB

Had a Narrow Escape From Death

Last week Agnes McComb, aged 16 years, had a narrow escape from death by a peculiar accident in the Carpet mills, where she works, under Overseer Swan.

She was employed in the room where the fancy rugs are sewed and finished. As the floors are waxed, they are quite slippery and care is necessary in walking upon them. Miss McComb in hurrying across one of the floors, accidently slipped and fell heavily upon her side. A pair of long scissors were suspended to her waist by a tape, and in her fall the scissors turned and entered her groin to the full length. They also opened while in the wound, thus causing a laceration of the flesh.

The brave girl, before she recovered her feet, turned and pulled the scissors from the wound, and then came a rush of blood which covered the floor around her. A doctor was quickly sent for and after applying remedies to stop the flow of blood, the girl was carried to a hack and sent to the Lowell hospital, where the wound was closed by seven stitches.

After a couple of days the girl was transferred to her home, and has now almost completely recovered. She had a most narrow escape from death, and the doctors, as well as her friends, are surprised that she recovered so quickly. They had feared blood poison, as the point of the scissors struck the bone, and bent under the weight of the girl's body.

It was at first thought that it would be necessary to have an operation to scrape the bone, but this was not resorted to, and happily the wound has almost completely healed up without any signs of further danger.

CLAUDE HAMILTON

CAPTURED A FIRST PRIZE AT ATHOL.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

ATHOL, Mass., Aug. 18.—Nearly 1000 persons attended the bicycle races at Brookside park last evening Everything passed off in fine shape. The summary:

Match race between C. E. Hutchins and Eli J. Gaudette of Athol—Won by Gaudette. Time, 2m. 20s.

Two-thirds of mile open—Won by Claude Hamilton of Lowell; H. E. Walker, Orange, second; C. H. Drury of Winchendon, third. Time, 1m. 28s.

Half-mile novice—Won by C E Smith of Orange; B. L. Stevens of Orange second. Time, 1m 3s.

Two-mile handicap—Won by R. A. Carnl of Worcester, scratch; C. H. Drury of Winchendon, second, 10 yds.; H. E. Walker of Orange, third, 30 yards. Time 5m. 7ls.

Pursuit race between Carnl, Hamilton, Rutherford, Drury and Cartwright. Won by Carnl in 5m. 25s, after covering three miles and one-half.

At Concord, N. H., yesterday Phil Delphine won second prize in the two mile handicap from the 110 yd mark. Hamilton did not ride at this place, because he could not make connections to reach Athol in time for the race meet at that place in the evening.

COUNTRY WEEK FUND.

Previously acknowledged	$23.75
Thimble club, Pawtucketville	5.00
Mrs. E. D. Soper	1.00
W. D. Clark	2.00
Cash	1.00
S. J. A.	1.00
M. L. A.	1.50
E. O. C.	1.00
Walter Coburn	5.00
Tyngsboro	5.00
Mrs. A. P. B.	1.00
Mrs. Peter Anderson	2.00
D L Page Co	10.00
High Street church	10.00
Friend	5.00
Friend	5.00
Total	$83.25

EDWARD ELLINGWOOD, Treas.

A GRAND SUCCESS

Managers of Day Nursery Gratified at Recent Picnic

The following letter has been submitted to The Sun for publication by Gen. C. A. R. Dimon:

Lowell, August 17, 900.

"Editor Sun:

"In consideration of the great amount of pleasure received by over 300 children and working mothers of the city of Lowell, at the Day Nursery picnic held at the Oaklands Aug. 1, the Day Nursery managers think that they are justified in asking you to publish some recognition and in part the names of those who voluntarily, and without charge, gave their time and ability and donations to make that day, a day of pleasure to the working people of Lowell. It shows a practical charitable effort, without hope of personal or political reward; and may Lowell Citizens long follow the example, and their reward will be in their own hearts.

"Employes of different mills, to the number of 50, gave their free services. Toys and many prizes for children, at reduced prices, were furnished by Bartlett & Dow, Thompson Hardware company, W. T. S. Bartlett, Merrimack Street Hardware Company and to Frazer and company. Thanks is also due to Mr. D. L. Page. The Lowell Daily News, through Mr. Sullivan, printed 500 tickets free of charge. The Lowell and Suburban Railway company, through Mr. Woodman, furnished 250 free car rides, and the kindness and courtesy of the motormen and conductors to mothers and young children was very noticeable and the attention was perfect.

"One of the most enjoyable parts of the picnic was the music furnished by the Lowell Military band, that played for the children from 2 to 7.30 p. m., free of all charge. As each note meant a self-sacrificing effort for charity, I hope you will find room for their names. The boys do not know of this, but they deserve all the praise we can give them.

"James A. Murphy, leader; Charles Dowers, James H. Buckley, Albert E. Shaw, cornet; J. Roach, Henry Heaps, J. Quigley, A. Hill, James Regan, clarinets; W. C. Bartlett, George Hayward, T. P. Hill, altos; A. Kerr, baritone; W. Gilson, J. Stavely, bassos; T. Gleason, E. Kittredge, trombones; P. Gallagher, P. Johnson, drums; W. Clark, cymbals.

"To the great number of citizens and other parties who gave their time and sympathy and labor to make the Day Nursery picnic of 1900 a success, the managers wish to express their thanks.

C. A. DIMON, Treasurer."

GENERAL LAWTON CLUB.

The General Lawton club, which was formerly the Jolly Eight club, held a special meeting Thursday evening and decided to hold a banquet on Labor night. President White appointed the following on the committee: J. Joseph Kelley, Thomas F. Tracy, Charles D. Monahan, Jr., Frederick F. Flaherty and Thomas A. Ginty, all of this city and Dan'l F. Mulcahy of Lynn, Murray C. Caswell of Stoneham and John F. Horne of Ayer. This committee will hold their meetings in conjunction with the board of trustees.

DAY NURSERY

HAD NO CASES OF DIPHTHERIA.

On the authority of Dr. Packer of the board of health, Col. Dimon announces that there have been no cases of diphtheria in connection with the institution. It is true that two children who have been there occasionally have been taken down with this disease. But they had not been at the nursery for some time previous to their illness.

The Day Nursery is open to all children of the prescribed age, and the matron will exercise the very best of care that no contagious disease may enter. In fact every child on being brought to the nursery will be closely scrutinized so that no symptom of any contagious disease will pass unnoticed.

WORK WELL DONE

Nearly all Vaccinations Were Successful

The physicians who recently vaccinated nearly every resident of Little Canada are now inspecting their work and are much pleased with the results. Yesterday Dr. Halpin visited 60 persons whom he had vaccinated and found that in 53 cases the vaccination had "taken." Generally about 40 per cent. are unsuccessful. Little Canada is now thoroughly inoculated and it is doubtful if any more small-pox will break out this year.

LOADED CIGAR

IT EXPLODED AND SEVERELY BURNED THE SMOKER.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

NEW YORK, Aug. 18.—Edward C. Southard, a western business man, who is staying at a hotel here, was treated at Bellevue hospital last night for severe burns, caused by a loaded cigar. He says that he called on a friend in the afternoon who offered him, as he was saying good-bye, what appeared to be a choice Havana cigar. Southard was on a Second avenue car last night smoking his cigar when it exploded and caused a panic. Sparks from it set fire to the hat of a lady and persons who sat near Southard were moved to anger because they thought he had caused the explosion purposely.

MILLS CLOSED

IN MAINE FOR SPACE OF TWO WEEKS.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

BIDDEFORD, Me., Aug. 18.—All departments of the Pepperell Manufacturing company's mills in this city and the York mills in Saco, shut down at noon today for two weeks. Work will be resumed on September 4, the Tuesday following Labor Day. Five thousand operatives are employed in these mills. The cause of the shut down is under-consumption of the product due in part to the curtailment of the export trade on account of the Chinese trouble.

AT POINT OF DEATH.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

NEW YORK, Aug. 18.—Mrs. James Strathie, mother of 11-year-old James Strathie of Highlands of Navesink, N. J., who died of rabies a month ago, is now at the point of death from the same disease. Mother and son were bitten by a playful dog and on its being killed and a postmortem held, the dog was found to have the disease.

BACK FROM KLONDIKE.

Mr. Joseph Gadona, who left Lowell for the Klondike in August, 1897, has returned to this city where he is welcomed by a host of friends. Mr. Gadona is well satisfied with his experience in the gold regions but will visit Montreal before deciding whether or not he will return to the Klondike. It was Mr. Gadona who accompanied Messrs. Pierre A. Brousseau and Adolphe Delile on their trip. Mr. Gadona visited Cape Nome and left that place about six weeks ago. At Dawson City he met Messrs. Couture, Hamelin, Choquette and Ducharme of Lowell. All had claims and were working them to advantage.

NEW HOSPITAL

New Emergency Hospital In Gorham Street

A VALUABLE ADDITION TO THIS CITY

Has Had 120 Cases Since First of Month

A very valuable institution which has been opened in this city, and which bids fair to become a very important addition to our hospital service, is the Lowell Emergency Hospital.

The hospital is in the building formerly occupied by Jerome F. Manning, 282 Gorham street, and is next to the new St. Peter's church. It opened on the first day of August, and up to Thursday evening has attended to 120 cases, being an average of nearly eight a day.

Mr. L. P. Petrigo of Arlington is the manager, and he speaks very highly of the institution. He says that it is mostly for the wage earners, and the terms asked by this institution are within the reach of every man and woman.

A certificate is issued by this hospital to men, women and children for one dollar, that entitles the holder to medical and surgical aid at the hospital for one year. This certificate is not transferable. The certificate permits any number of visits, if made within the year, medicines alone being paid for at a little above cost, but fully as low as they can be procured at any drug store.

The hospital is open day and night, Sundays and holidays; its doors never being closed. At the present time there are two physicians and surgeons, Dr. W. H. Gallagher and Dr. W. A. Fogg. Both of these men have long hospital experience.

The building occupied is large enough for the present, but it is intended within a year or so to make large additions or to erect a new building.

On the first floor of the hospital are the reception room, office and operating room. Up stairs are men's and women's wards. In the men's ward there are two beds, and in the women's ward one bed.

It is not the intention of the hospital authorities to have their patients stay over night, but to remove them to their homes after their wounds have been dressed, but cases now and then come up which are too serious to be removed from the hospital so soon after treatment or operation. After a patient is removed from the hospital to his or her home, the hospital doctors go there on regular visits.

At present there is no ambulance connected with the hospital, and the city ambulance is used, but it is the intention of the authorities to have an ambulance of their own in the near future. The building itself is centrally located, and about an equal distance from the extremes of the city.

If a person is injured and has an Emergency hospital certificate, the driver of the ambulance immediately removes the person to the Emergency hospital, and if a person who has not got a certificate wishes to be taken to this institution, he has but to notify the driver.

The Emergency hospital in Kingston street in Boston is a pronounced success, and takes care of about 50 per cent. of the emergency cases of that city.

LOST—A flannel coat between 98 Branch street and the city stables. Finder will be rewarded by returning the same to the Highland laundry.

TWENTIETH CASE

Of Diphtheria Was Reported This Morning

Dr. Halpin this morning reported the 20th case of diphtheria, the victim being the two years old son of John Callahan residing in the rear of 359 Lakeview avenue. This is a tenement district and the health authorities will take every measure to prevent a spread of the disease.

CHELMSFORD CENTRE

The town clerk has received the town's supply of the Laws and Resolves for 1900. Copies are for distribution at the store of S. W. Parkhurst.

John N. Park of the South village is reported quite ill.

Charles W. Bryan has been on the invalid list several days.

Edward B. Emerson has been off duty this week on account of ill health.

Mrs. J. W. Perham and Miss Maud Perham have returned from their visit to New Brunswick.

C. F. Keyes of Lowell has sold the estate known as the L. J. Mansfield, Jr., place to a Mr. Phillips from New Hampshire, who has taken possession and is much pleased with his purchase.

The fruit growers report an abundance of early apples and the crop of late fruit will not be small.

Those from this village who will be in Chicago national encampment week, starting the 27th, are J. A. Bartlett, J. P. Emerson, Francis Hutchinson, Francis Day and Paul Dutton.

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AUCTION—SPECIAL SALE.

Twenty-five head of young, fresh horses, direct from the country; also a large number of acclimated horses, at the stable of C. H. Clapp & Co., No. 27 Cushing street, Thursday, August 23, at 2 o'clock p. m.

The horses consist of matched pairs, drivers, workers and, in fact, you will find horses at this sale adapted for any kind of work. Their colors are bays, browns, greys and chestnuts; they are all well broken, are an excellent lot, and are ready for use. If you are in want of a horse it will pay you to visit our new quarters on Cushing street. The horses will be on exhibition on and after Monday, August 20, and we will be pleased to show intending purchasers to their satisfaction.

For want of room we cannot describe them all. We have an excellent lot of dapple greys, weighing 1250 lbs., five years old, well broken in single or double harness. One bay horse, six years old, weighing 1825 lbs., and acclimated, 1 very stylish pair of black horses, six and seven years old, weighing 2200 lbs. We have a number of excellent driving horses in this load that are city broken. If you will call at our stable and ride after them, we shall be pleased to show them to you to your entire satisfaction.

This lot of horses was selected by Mr. Clapp, who well knows the class of horses for this market, and he thinks this is as nice a load as he ever shipped; this we will prove to you if you call and examine them.

Terms: Cash or satisfactorily endorsed notes.

Remember the day, Thursday, August 23, at 2 o'clock p. m.

SATURDAY, Aug. 25, at 4 O'clock.

Positive Sale of Residential Property.

A 2 1-2 story house and about 3520 square feet of land at 262 South street, Saturday.

I am determined to sell the above property, on the day advertised, regardless of the weather or price, and I have instructed Auctioneer Keyes to sell the same for the highest bid. Someone is sure to purchase this beautiful home, as it is much too large for me. I know I will have to make a sacrifice, but will have to be content with the public price.

The house consists of nine rooms, parlor, dining room, kitchen, chamber and a large shed on the first floor; there are three chambers on the second floor and two finished attics. The house is in very good repair inside; it is high studded; the rooms are very conveniently laid out, and has an extra good dry cellar. For a small expense it could very easily be made a two-tenement house, or it would make an excellent home for a large family.

The lot has a frontage of 32 feet on South street and runs 110 feet in depth, making an area of 3520 square feet. It is all sodded, concrete walks, fruit trees, shade trees, grape vines, flowers, shrubberies, etc., making a very beautiful garden at the rear of the house.

LOCATION: This property is located on the easterly side of South street, on the highest part of the hill; it commands a beautiful view across the South common. It is within two minutes' walk of the new beautiful St. Peter's church; within three minutes' walk of the school; within seven minutes' walk of several large industries and within three minutes' walk of the electrics.

When you sum up all the good points connected with this property, it should certainly interest you if you are looking for a comfortable and profitable home.

Terms: $350 to be paid as soon as the property is struck off, other terms at sale. By order of,

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Will give you an unlimited supply of hot water, obtainable at any moment. By a simple turn of the faucet, the heater is set in operation and will almost instantly give you all the hot water needed. Turning off, the water also automatically turns off the gas, and your expense stops. THE KENWOOD requires no boiler, but may be used in connection with one, if so desired.

An inspection of the heater in operation, at our office, will make clear to you its many advantages.

We have in stock the latest Welsbach burners and mantles.

Price of gas with the discount off for prompt payment is

$1 PER THOUSAND FEET.

First-class Gas Ranges sold on the instalment plan. Coke broken, screened and delivered at $1.50 per chaldron; $3.25 half chaldron, cash. No charge made for the use of meters. No charge made for running supply pipes from street mains to consumer's cellar. Orders when left at office promptly attended to.

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One lot FRENCH COUTIL, gored hips, white, drab and black, were $1.50, ... Now $1.19
ZENDA CORSETS, low bust, sizes 22 to 26, white and drab, reduced from $1.60 to . . . . . . 79 Cents
One lot SUMMER ZENDA, low bust, in broken sizes, were $1.00, now Now 69c.
25 cent Hose Supporters, now 19 cents, elastic perfect

CORSET PARLORS
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204, 206 Merrimack Street.

A LOWELL BISHOP

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MANTLE MAY FALL ON REV. FR. RONAN

Notes of Interest From Local Catholic Churches

A number of summer vacationists from the different parts of the country who are now sojourning at Cohassett and Scituate are to participate in a concert next Sunday evening in aid of the parish of which Rev. William H. McDonough, formerly of St. Peter's church in this city is pastor. Many of the summer residents of the above popular resort are wealthy Catholics who hold Fr. McDonough in the highest esteem and have taken this means to evidence their esteem for him. Mr. James E. Donnelly of St. Peter's church, this city has been invited to take part in the concert and asked to render in connection with other songs the popular Irish ballad, "The Boys of Wexford." Mr. Donnelly has sent a favorable reply to the committee in charge of the concert and will leave for Cohasset Sunday forenoon.

Carpenters will soon began the work of laying the floors of and putting in the be the cathedral church of the district.

A well known clergyman has informed a Sun reporter that the latter need not be surprised if Rev. Michael Ronan, the popular pastor of St. Peter's church, will soon be elevated to the throne of bishop and that the new St. Peter's church will be the cathedral church of the diocese, over which the highly esteemed prelate to be will have charge. It is claimed that the diocese has become exceedingly large of late years and that Archbishop Williams and Bishop Brady have been overtaxed in their labors in what is known as the Boston district. The Springfield diocese is admirably looked after by Bishop Beaven but the northern part of the state, or what will be the Lowell diocese needs as its head a prelate of excellent administrative abilities and it is conceded by clergymen and laymen alike that Father Ronan meets all the requirements necessary.

Brother Norbert, formerly John Cowhig who has been conducting the summer school at St. John's college, has been visiting his parents in this city during the past week.

The following is the Catholic calendar for the week:

Aug. 19, Sunday, 11th after Pentecost. St. Joachim; Aug. 20, Monday, St. Bernard, C.; Aug. 21, Tuesday, St. James Frances de Chantel, widow; Aug. 22, Wednesday, of the Octave; Aug. 23, Thursday, St. Philip Benti, C.; Aug. 24, Friday, St. Bartholomew, Apostle; Aug. 25, Saturday, St. Louis, King of France, C.

One of the prettiest pieces of landscape gardening in the city of Lowell is that of Columbus park, in front of the Immaculate Conception church. Without doubt this church has the prettiest frontage of any church in the country.

It is laid out in a very artistic manner, the entrance to the church being filled in to a height of about six feet. In different parts of the park are figures of different kinds filled in with a variety of beautiful flowers. In the centre of the lawn is a beautiful star which has attracted the attention of many of the passersby, and brought forth abundance of praise for the beautiful flowers and artistic designs.

On the plot at the corner of East Merrimack and Brown streets there are several mounds, one of which is raised three feet with loose stone for a base, and on the mound are several species of flowers. Throughout the garden are many rare and beautiful exotic plants. This park adds greatly to the grandeur of the church, which, in itself, is one of the most magnificent edifices in this part of the country.

No pains or expense have been spared in beautifying the church or the park. The newly purchased land at the corner of Brown and Stackpole streets will be filled in and levelled off. The Oblate fathers own the square bounded by East Merrimack, Fayette, Stackpole and Brown streets, and with this large space affords plenty of light to the church and makes it a very attractive and beautiful place. This church will never be hemmed in by tenement houses or buildings of any nature, with the exception of the building of the Young Men's Catholic Institute.

Much praise is due to Brother Alphonse Marion, O. M. I., who has charge of the premises. Brother Marion is a zealous and untiring worker and is proud of the park of which he has charge. He is ably assisted by Mr. Pevey in his artistic work.

Rev. E. A. Dorgan, O. M. I., of the Immaculate Conception church, who has been enjoying a two weeks' vacation, is expected to return home today, after which he will resume his duties at this church.

Rev. Patrick J. McGrath, O. M. I., of the Immaculate Conception church is improving in health, and is expected to be able to resume his duties at this church at an early day.

Rev. Edmund O'Callahan, O. M. I., of the college of Brownsville, Tex., has been visiting his parents in Boston during the past week, and he made a trip to this city, visiting the parochial residences of the Sacred Heart and Immaculate Conception churches.

Rev. Hugh O'Donnell of Boston was a recent visitor in this city.

Rev. Fr. Curran of Beverly was visiting in this city during the past week.

The Sisters of St. Mary of the Sacred Heart parochial school, have returned from their annual retreat at the mother house at Lockport, N. Y. They arrived in this city yesterday. Sister Martha, who was stationed in Texas last year, will perform the duties of superior, taking the place of Sister St. Joseph, who was superior during the past season. This school will reopen on the same day as the public schools will.

Work on the new Sacred Heart church is progressing rapidly, and the electrical work and plastering is very nearly completed. There will be no delay on account of the death of Architect Ford.

Rev. Eugene A. Carney, a popular curate of St. Michael's church, has been enjoying a week's vacation. Rev. Richard Roland has been performing the entire duties of the church during his absence. It is expected that Fr. Carney will return today.

Rev. Timothy V. Callahan of St. Patrick's church has nearly entirely recovered from his recent illness, and will soon resume his duties at that church.

The Xaverian brothers, who are to teach in the St. Patrick's parochial school in Suffolk street this season are expected to arrive in this city sometime during next week. Brother Matthew, who will be the superior, is busily engaged having their house on Varney street painted on the interior and exterior, and furnishing the entire house. The house has also been papered and many other improvements made. Brother Matthew left for Somerville last evening.

The Grey Nuns of St. Joseph's Girls' college in Moody street are expected to return to this city today. They have been at their summer villa at Tewksbury Centre.

The brothers of St. Joseph's Boys' college in Merrimack street have returned from their annual retreat in Canada.

Rev. Fr. Perrin, O. M. I., of St. Jean Baptiste church, in Merrimack street, is ill in Salem. It is hoped by his parishioners and also his many friends that he will soon recover and be able to resume his duties.

Revs. W. George Mullin and Edward P. Saunders of St. Peter's church interviewed the Cuban teachers when they were in this city, on the adoption of the American system of schools in Cuba. The conversation was conducted in Latin.

It is expected that the new St. Peter's church will be ready for occupancy by Dec. 1.

Rev. Philip Sexton of St. Patrick's church is on his vacation.

Rev. Ed. F. Saunders of St. Peter's church, accompanied by his father, Mr. Edward Saunders, of Tremont street, has started on an extended tour of the South and West.

BURNED TO DEATH

A WOMAN AND A LITTLE GIRL PERISHED.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

METHUEN, Mass., Aug. 18.—Mrs. W. H. Barton and Henrietta Peabody, a girl of 14 living with her were burned to death yesterday noon, their clothes taking fire from a gasoline stove on which they were preparing dinner. The girl ran into the barn and in an attempt to extinguish the fire with hay set fire to the barn, which was destroyed.

NEW ARRIVAL.

Pres. James A. Maguire of the Lowell Reform club is being congratulated upon the arrival of a young son. Mother and child are doing well.

FOUR DROWNED

BY WRECK OF THE LAUNCH AQUILLA.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

SEATTLE, Wash., Aug. 18.—The steamer Humbolt in port from Lynn canal with 26 passengers, 68 of them Klondikers and more than $250,000 in treasure from the Klondike. The largest treasure holder was Clarence Berry with more than $150,000.

Nearly all of the passengers from the Klondike are said to have possessed some dust. Dawson advices dated Aug. 4 report the drowning of four persons by the wreck of the launch Aquilla.

COUNTERFEIT NICKLES

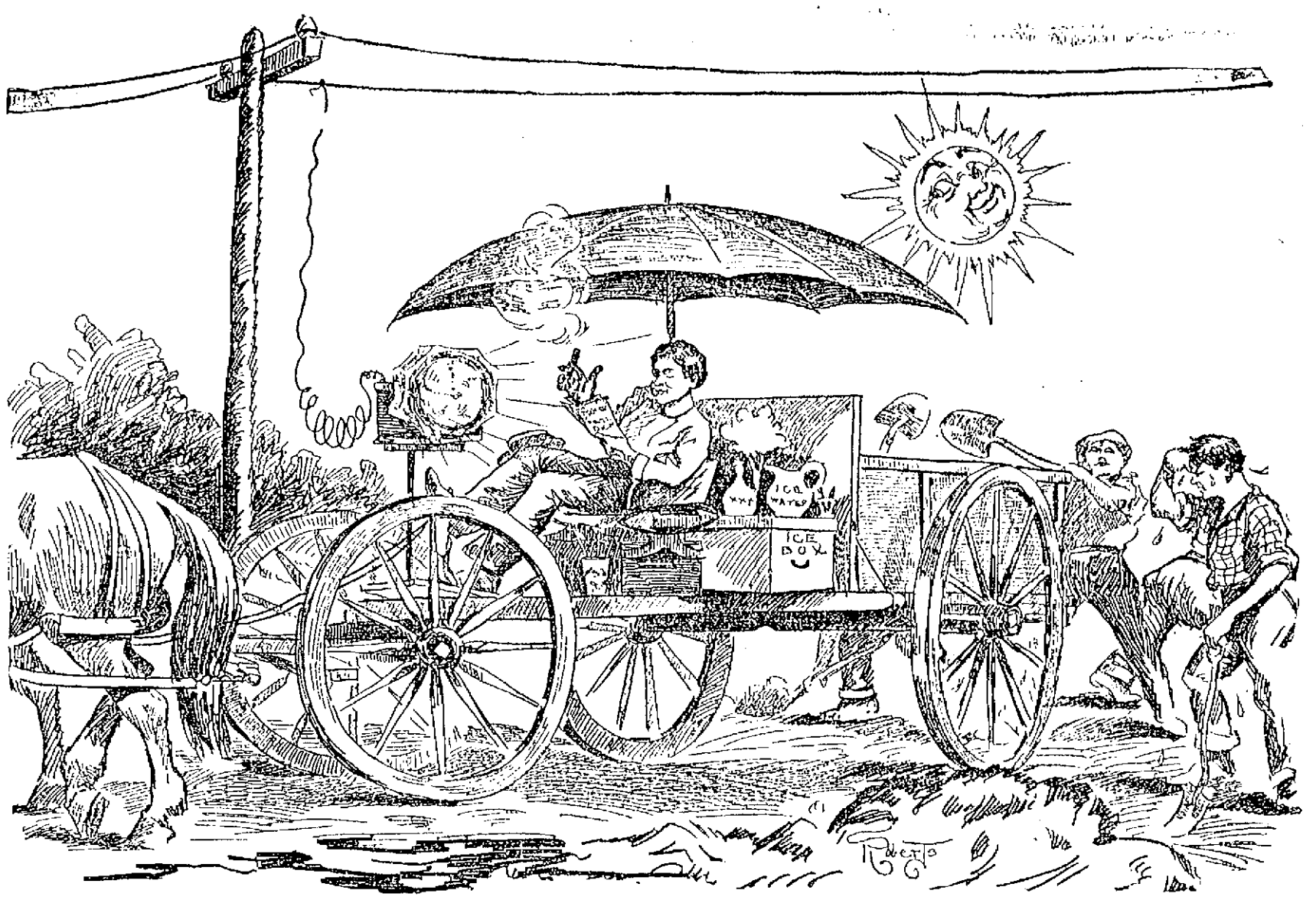
LOWELL PEOPLE BEING FOOLED WITH BAD FIVE CENT PIECES.

A slick counterfeit nickel is in circulation in Lowell. It is made of aluminum, evidently, and is appreciably lighter in weight than the genuine coins and feels smooth and greasy to the touch. Street car conductors are finding them among their fares.

An examination under a magnifying glass shows defects in the lettering, the figures and the hair of the head, but to a casual observer the counterfeit is clever and hard to detect. Local banks have not received any of them yet, but they are on the lookout for them.

OPENED TODAY.

The electric road connecting Bedford and Concord was opened today.



HOW WOULD YOU LIKE TO BE THE DRIVER?

FIRST CITY SHOVELLER—"Say Jim, why is it that the men in this world who do the most work get the least pay? Here we are getting $1.75 while the driver up there doing nothing gets $2.60. Wouldn't you like to be the driver?"

SECOND SHOVELLER—"Indeed I would, especially since they have been allowed to read newspapers and novels while we load the teams."

FIRST SHOVELLER—"O that's nothing Jim. I hear they are to be furnished with ice water, bouquets and electric fans. Futh, I'd like to be the driver."

PERSONALS

Thomas O'Hern of Lowell is visiting his parents in Dover, N. H.

Arthur Brown of High street, Lawrence, is on a visit to this city.

John Denner of Lawrence was a recent visitor here.

Mr. Charles Duprls of the Bon Marche is on his vacation.

Miss Josephine Quinn of Chapel street is sojourning at Old Orchard.

Miss Lilias Ingalls is spending her vacation in the provinces.

Police Officer John Walsh is enjoying his vacation at Chazy, N. Y.

Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Shaw, the milliners, have gone to Maine on their vacation.

Mr. John Slack and family will spend the next 15 days at Salisbury beach.

Misses Lizzie McLaughlin and Mamie McCarthy have gone to New York city for a vacation of several weeks.

Miss Ellen O'Leary, matron of the Kirk Street Day Nursery, will spend her vacation at Eastport, Me.

Mrs. Charles Austin of the Bon Marche is enjoying "old home week" in New Hampshire.

Mrs. George H. Allard has returned from a two weeks' vacation at Crescent beach.

Misses Kittie King and Christina Kane of this city are enjoying the exhilirating breezes of Winthrop beach.

Mr. Harry Kelley of Union street has returned from an enjoyable sojourn in the Green Mountain State.

Misses Margaret Riley and Elizabeth McMahon of Cedar street are spending a few weeks at York beach, Me.

Miss Jennie L. O'Donoghue of Claire street is enjoying the invigorating breezes at Old Orchard.

Mrs. Thomas Higgins and daughter Margaret are spending a two weeks' vacation at Crescent beach.

Miss Emma Carroll and Miss Margaret Sullivan of Lowell, are visiting friends in Portland, Me.

Mrs. Lilla Berry of Lynn is a guest as ex-Councilman A. B. Bosca's, on Billerica street, Chelmsford.

Mrs. M. R. Clifford and daughter, Elnora, have gone to North Vassalboro, Me., for a short stay.

Charles E. Tilton will leave on Monday for Rockland, Me., where he will enjoy a month's vacation.

Ex-Alderman James F. Miskella is enjoying life at New York and Atlantic City.

Miss Alice Myers of the city library sailed on the Saxonia this afternoon for an extended European trip.

Dr. and Mrs. George L. Van Duerson have arrived home from Peterboro, N. H.

Dr. and Mrs. Joseph N. Marston and son arrived home in Lowell last night from Edinburg, Scotland.

Miss Edna E. Hanson has gone to Wentworth, N. H., for a three weeks' vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Adams are at the Langsford house, Cape Porpoise, Me., for the rest of August.

Operator James Howard of the police signal service is on his annual vacation.

Messrs. Francois Lacouture, Francis Lambert and Zenon Page are rusticating at Long pond.

Miss Ernestine Alexander has returned from a visit to Holyoke and West Boylston.

Miss Emma C. Bruce of Dandsville is visiting at the home of her aunt, Mrs. Alber' Dege, in Fairmount street.

Misses Louise and Florence Parker and Miss Myra Trueworthy will spend the last two weeks in August at Salem Willows.

Mr. John Murphy, the tonsorial artist at Anderson's Lincoln square barber shop, has returned from a meeting of the Pine Tree State grange. He inspected several specimens of high grade cattle while in Maine, but was particularly impressed with the "short horn" variety.

Mr. and Mrs. George H. Wood have returned from a visit to the Rangely Lakes. Mr. Wood reports the fishing good.

Mrs. F. A. French and her daughters, Misses Eva and Mildred, of 218 Parkview avenue, have gone to Maine and New Hampshire.

Police Officer John Freeman and family are enjoying their vacation in Cincinnati and other points of interest in the Buckeye State.

Mrs. Edmund Tetley of Lawrence and her daughter, Miss Gertrude Tetley of Lowell, are guests of the Rev. Edmund B. Tetley of Orr's Island, Me.

Miss Grace Darling of Liberty street, accompanied by her uncle, is enjoying a sojourn at points of interest along the New England sea coast.

Misses Alice L. Aille and Annie G. Donoghue have returned from a month's sojourn at Sharon Springs, N. Y.

Miss Hicks of Gates street will spend the next two weeks at Providence and Narragansett Pier as the guest of her cousin, Miss Johnson.

Miss Adelaide E. Noyes left today for Middleboro to be the guest of Dr. Geo. M. Clark and family. She will be away a week.

Miss Nellie M. Drown and Miss Nellie B. Chitty are enjoying the salt air during their three weeks' vacation at Old Kennebunkport, Me.

Miss Jennie Todd of Walden street is attending the Epworth league convention at Sterling, Mass., and will be there during the remainder of August.

Letter Carrier John Ewing and his sister, Miss Lena Ewing, will enjoy a vacation of two weeks at Canobie lake, Salem, N. H.

Messrs. Charles H. Foye and Thomas A. Ginty of the Lawton club have returned from an enjoyable vacation at Shawn Springs, N. Y.

Major Cosette and Edward Boulanger of the Bon Marche are enjoying sea faring life at Nantucket on their vacation.

Mr. George A. Dickey and wife and sister, Mrs. O. T. Wilkins, and Mr. Walter Adams and wife are on a two weeks' vacation at Hill's beach, Old Orchard.

Rev. Charles H. Wilcox, wife and son of Lawrenceville, N. J., are visiting for a few days at the home of Dr. J. J. Colton in Varnum avenue, Pawtucketville.

The Misses Laura A. D. Lord, Lydia H. Mahoney and Genevieve A. McConnor of Lawrence, are among the successful applicants for admission to the Lowell Training school.

The Misses Nellie M. O'Brien and Florence M. Provost, have returned from a very enjoyable vacation, alternating between the seashore and the mountains.

Letter Carrier J. William Maguire and wife have returned from a most delightful sojourn of 15 days at Crescent beach and vicinity.

Mr. Guy V. S. Stapleford, who has been spending a few weeks in Oakland, Me., has arrived at his home, 225 Walker street, accompanied by his bride.

Mr. D. H. Dickinson and little daughter, Agnes, of 12 Mammoth road, have returned from a very pleasant trip to North Adams, Mass., accompanied by Miss Bernice McIntyre of that place.

Mr. L. E. Pullen, advertising manager of the J. C. Ayer company, has gone to Detroit with a party of advertising men who will be entertained by one of the newspapers in that city.

Mrs. Henry C. Wilder of Pollet avenue, is at Asbury grove, where she will spend the month of August as the guest of her daughter, Mrs. N. H. Hovey of Winchester.

The Lowell people registered at New York hotels during Wednesday included Miss S. Curran, P. L. and W. Gregoire, Miss A. Higgins, T. Southam, Broadway Central; A. W. Moore Grand Union.

Fraulein Mueller, formerly German instructor in Rogers Hall school, who has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. George W. Hobson of East Merrimack street, has left for the Berkshire hills.

Mr. William F. Hills vice president of the Traders National bank, will, with Mrs. Hills, make a tour of Europe this fall. They sail from New York next Saturday on the Cunard steamer Lucania.

Miss Annie Omrod Ramsay, eldest daughter of James P. Ramsay, of Thorndike street, has gone to New York for six weeks, and while there will be employed in Johnson's wholesale millinery house.

The following are among the members of the police force who are now enjoying their vacation: Officers McCann, Kiernan, Healey and Gauley. The latter is enjoying his annual sojourn at Hull.

Mr. and Mrs. David Williams and family of Hazleton, Pa., are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Edmonds of Beacon street. Mr. Williams formerly worked in Lowell in connection with the installation of the block signal system on the Boston and Maine railroad.

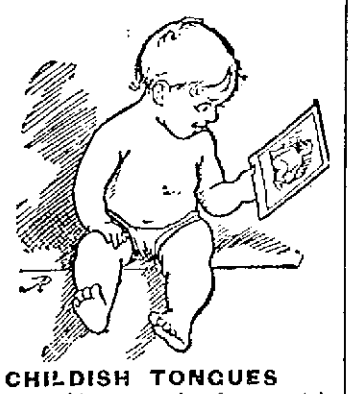
Mr. Sumner Williams, the popular clerk at Ellingwood's Tower corner pharmacy, with wife and child, have returned from a very enjoyable vacation of one week at Lake Whalon, Fitchburg.

Letter Carrier William Higgins and wife have returned from a very enjoyable sojourn in Boston and vicinity. Mr. Higgins was a resident of Boston for six years and took this opportunity to renew acquaintances with old-time friends.

The following guests are registered at the Newark house, Salisbury beach: Charles P. Smith, P. Noonen, John Dalton, Joseph F. Corcoran, John P. Murray, Thomas S. Cuff, Hugh Farley, Walter S. King, Frank H. Burns, John J. Kelleher, John B. Boulger, Belvidere club, Lowell; Walter F. Connolly, Lowell; Winter Conneran, M. E. Conneran, Collinsville; James E. Burns, Lowell.

EPWORTH LEAGUE DAY.

Thursday was Epworth league day at the Methodist camp meeting at The Weirs, N. H. Mrs. Annie E. Smiley of this city was one of the speakers.



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WITH DEWEY.

MEMBER OF OLYMPIA'S CREW VISITING IN LOWELL.

Frederick E. Allez, a seaman who was in the battle of Manila, is in the city visiting his friend, Moses Forget of Lakeview avenue. Mr. Allez was in the battle of Manila on board the Olympia and tells an interesting story of his experiences in the Philippines, and his story of the battle, in which he participated, is very interesting indeed. He understands the situation in these far-away islands to perfection.

Mr. Allez has been in the navy for several years, and it is probable that he will re-enlist within a short period. A collection which he made of curiosities are on exhibition in the store of Mr. Forget on Lakeview avenue.

APPOINTED OVERSEER.

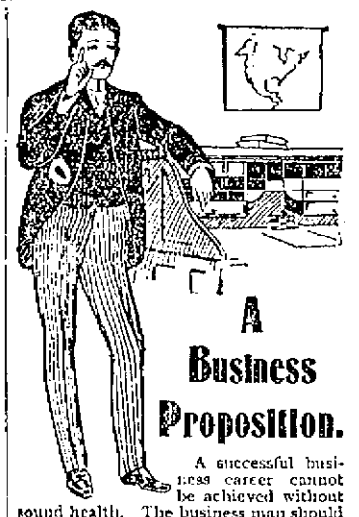
Mr. P. Quinn, who during the past 10 years has been employed as second-hand of the dry finishing department of the Middlesex mills, has been promoted to the position of overseer of that department, lately made vacant by the retiremen of Mr. William G. Frantz. The Middlesex Co. divides the finishing process into two distinct departments; the "wet" and "dry" finishing. Speckling, burling, shearing, pressing, examining, etc., came under the head of "dry" finishing of which Mr. Frantz has had charge being now succeeded by Mr. Quinn. Overseer O. Comstock holds the responsible position of "wet" finisher; wet finishing department consists of carbonizing, scouring, fulling gigging, steaming, etc.

Agent Saunders' policy of promotion when justified by merit is most commendable; as it tends to encourage men holding subordinate positions, to put forth their best efforts.

DESTROYED BY FIRE.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

GREENVILLE, N. H., Aug. 18.—The house of Geo. Anderson of Highbridge, two miles from New Ipswich, was totally burned, with contents, yesterday afternoon. The cause is unknown. Loss, $2,500. No insurance.



A Business Proposition.

A successful business career cannot be achieved without sound health. The business man should guard his health as he guards his capital; for health is part of his capital and the impairment of that capital affects every business interest. A sedentary occupation and quick lunches, soon show their effects in a sluggish liver. The use of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery will cure "liver trouble" as well as indigestion and other diseases of the organs of digestion and nutrition.

The "Discovery" strengthens the body by supplying Nature with strength making materials. It contains no whisky, alcohol or other intoxicant.

"After three years of suffering with liver trouble and malaria," writes Mr. Edward Jacobs, of Marengo, Crawford Co., Indiana, "I gave up all hopes of ever getting stout again, and the last chance was to try your medicine. I had tried all the home doctors and received but little relief. After taking three bottles of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery and one vial of his 'Pleasant Pellets' I am stout and hearty. It is due entirely to your wonderful medicines."

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75 Iron Beds, regular price $5.00,

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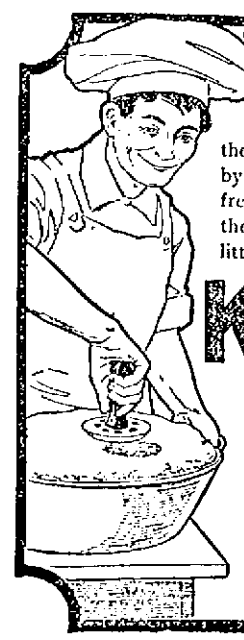
A Healthy Man's Life Can be Prolonged to 120 Years and Perhaps Longer.

During the last seven weeks, I have taken the treatment of 81 persons who had failed to get any relief after years of trial; 11 came in during the last week. Of the 69 supposed hopeless cases, 22 have been discharged cured. Ninety per cent. of the other 47 will recover. We cannot cure an organic disease. I could never have favorably effected these cases with medicine alone. Medicine and the vitalizer together have produced the most marvelous results. I would be pleased if the physicians of Lowell will test me on a dozen incurable cases, not in organic disease, which I will treat free of charge. References ready.

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36 Varney Street.

Afternoon and Evening.



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then you know the carbonic acid gas caused by fermentation is escaping. Your dough free from gas — means good bread. Now, then, to get *all* the gas out quickly, with little effort, use a

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CAMPAIGN MATERIAL.

The budget of letters and correspondence which the war department reported to have been taken from the baggage of Aguinaldo about the time the wardrobe of that patriot's wife was captured, has been partly made public. It was alleged at the time that there was a communication from Senator Hoar, and one it was thought from Edward Atkinson. The most treasonable has been given out and it proves to be a silly production from an old Englishman named Leverson, who resides at Fort Hamilton, N. Y., and who has had a penchant for seeking notoriety by such communications. The letters have been held until the present in order that they might serve for campaign purposes. Mark Hanna will undoubtedly write to Funston or MacArthur for more of them. Somebody will be set to work to manufacture bogus letters as productions sent by anti-imperialists. Since the endorsement of Bryan by the anti-imperialists at Indianapolis, Hanna is frantic and McKinley is fast losing even the hope of re-election, owing to the wonderful exodus of republican leaders to join the democrats in the onward march to victory.

SMOOTH PAVING.

The trick by which competition was always shut out on the paving contracts was the putting in the resolution a clause providing that only a certain kind of smooth paving should be used. When "Smooth Bob" was laying the asphaltina, the resolutions called for bids on asphaltina, and none but the Boston Paving company could bid. When "Smooth Bob" fell out with the Boston Paving company and started to sue them for "commissions," the resolutions that were sent into the city council read "Trinidad Lake asphalt," thus shutting out all companies that did not use that particular brand. The mayor's attention was called to the discrimination in each case; but he threw up his hands in indignation and said "the gentlemen of the city council know what kind of a resolution they are passing, and I will not interfere with them. This course has brought the mayor to his present ridiculous attitude on smooth paving.

A correspondent informs the Sun that some of the bar rooms are allowing minors to enter their places and drink same as adults. There is also a relaxation in the regulation regarding women entering and sitting in the saloons. The police should look into the matter.

THE SCHOOL BOARD.

The people of Lowell who read the article in yesterday's Sun upon the action of the school board at their last meeting approve of everything said therein and some go even farther and say they will take more direct steps to bring the school board and the superintendent to a sense of their obligation to the public. They say that Mr. Whitcomb is paid altogether too much in getting as much as the mayor of the city, while his chief concern seems to be to attend public meetings at a distance and draw upon the city for his expenses. The matter will receive attention later on.

BRYAN'S CABINET.

The republican press is already discussing where Bryan would get material for his cabinet. Alas! how solicitous they are for the country. They can rest assured that Bryan will have men rather than toadies for his cabinet officers, he will not be the tool of any boodler like Mark Hanna nor of the trusts and combines, as is McKinley. Bryan will be president and he will select a cabinet that will protect the American republic and all its interests—men who will have due regard for the enforcement of the law and for the constitution of the United States.

McKinley and his followers are in despair and Mark Hanna cannot save them.

THE CHINESE SITUATION.

The allies are reported to have entered Pekin and put the cowardly Boxers to flight. The leaders should suffer. The Boxers are the worst kind of fanatics that has ever appeared in any country and they must be punished for the slaughter of Christians. China is on her knees begging, but her appeals and protestations should receive but little consideration until full reparation shall have been made for the slaughter of Christians and the indignity and damage to the ministers and the citizens of other nations.

CROWDING STREET CARS.

The crowding of street cars should be stopped. When people go out for pleasure they should not be subjected to the pressure of several passengers resting upon their shoulders, crowding them on either side and in front. Some street car companies have made a rule that only five shall sit in the same seat and that passengers shall not stand on the foot boards. That makes a ride on the electric cars enjoyable, but it will apparently be some time before the syndicate controlling the street cars around Lowell will have these advantages.

The epidemic of diphtheria is more alarming than the few cases of small-pox. What can be the cause? Bad streets and lack of proper sewerage are the only causes thus far assigned. The superintendent of streets and the health department are the parties on whom responsibility rest.

General De Wet has fooled Kitchener again and joined forces with General Delarey. Now Kitchener will order a right about wheel as he would be annihilated if he came in contact with the forces under both the Boer generals.

The late ex-Senator John J. Ingalls was a son of Massachusetts, a brilliant man in many ways, a distinguished orator and writer, who, however, has left nothing of a permanent character to perpetuate his name.

It is deplorable that there is an outbreak of race feeling in New York. It started in New Orleans. New York has taken up the matter and as a result trouble may ensue in other cities.

Robert Treat Paine, as was expected, will again run for governor of Massachusetts. He is a bright young man and would make an excellent governor.

Young William Bryan is the only disturbing element in the Bryan family. In working off his surplus energy he annoys many of those around him.

CRISP GOSSIP

Every politician regards himself as the paramount thing.

The weather man of late has been a veritable Dr. Jeyhll and Mr. Hyde.

The hair grows considerably faster in summer than in winter.

The price of flour has gone down $1 a barrel.

Now the native peaches are coming into the market.

The German emperor possesses in all 111 residences.

Lowell people are reading less fiction and more history which is a direct result of the war.

More steel is used in the manufacture of pens than in all the sword and gun factories of the world.

Fifty thousand typhus germs will thrive in the small circumference of a pinhead.

Don't fret about the weather. There will be snow enough to shovel next winter.

The water in the Merrimack and Concord rivers has been increased materially by the late rain.

Happy is the man who is sure there is one woman who has unlimited faith in what he can accomplish.

Two of the greatest literary productions of the Chinese are a dictionary in 320 volumes and an encyclopedia in 2,307 volumes.

The United States is ahead of all other countries in the art of making artificial teeth. It is computed that 6,000,000 are fabricated here annually.

The theory that appendicitis is often caused by the habit of sitting with the legs crossed should be borne sedulously in mind by men who ride in street cars.

Let the girls spend all the time they want in doing up their hair. In a few years more they will twist it in a tight little knot in order to have more time to curl their children's hair.

Candidates for the royal Irish constabulary must be nominated by the lord lieutenant through a member of parliament. The limits of age are 21 to 26; minimum height, 5 feet 8 inches.

A man may have opinions of his own about the ideal woman, but when it comes to marrying, a plain, every-day girl is apt to know more about good housekeeping.

The common German hen lays about 500 or 600 eggs in 10 years. In the first year the number is only 10 to 20; in the second, third and fourth, 100 to 135 each, whence it again diminishes to 10 in the last year.

Thomas Murrey, aged 80 years, died the other day at his home in Little Creek, Del. He never saw a railroad train, never used tobacco, and never drank liquor. Little Creek is not on a railway line.

How ill most women reckon men!
To hands fast bound by burdens not their own.
Stretching soft palms resentful when
That bold fare rank must stand or fall alone.

Her inward look misunderstands
Too oft, the hill top of his wider view—
Too oft she broods in shadow lands,
While his wings flash between the sun and dew!

Facing the worst, he hopes the best
Singing he works—while women bid him hear!
The wrong sits busy arms arrest,
Her faith commits unto a higher way.

Her heart for passion's answer cries
Unto a heart, that for love's sake divides
Delight with duty; be he wise
His soul a secret hid in self abides.

Yet if she knew—would God she knew!
Through solitude, through folly and through strife,
Her touch keeps that lone spirit true
And here's the gift men part with last—their life!

Evidently the Head of the House—No, said the man at the door, I have no views on politics. Well, returned the political canvasser, in that case I'd like to interview your wife.

A pet maltese cat belonging to an English woman has been successfully provided with spectacles to counteract failing eyesight. A picture of a mouse was used by the oculist to test the cat' eyes.

A Kansas man has struck a new way of getting a living. He has a flock of 500 turkeys, which, in consideration of board for himself he moves from one farm to another, where they clean up the grasshoppers with which the farms of that section are infested.

In Vienna telephone booths, it is said, are furnished with napkins bearing the inscription, "Wipe, if you please." The napkins are changed frequently and this undoubtedly serves to keep the mouthpieces of the transmitters in good sanitary condition.

It is a curious fact, that despite the general knowledge of the deadly powers of high tension electric currents and their well known use for executing criminals there is no record of a deliberate suicide by electric shock.

J. J. Corbett, who at one time made such a striking impression in the prize ring, is going to become a Shakespearian actor. The dramatic papers announce that he is going to "do" Romeo. The chances are that Romeo will be done pretty badly in the first round.

Four more open air concerts are booked for North Billerica by the Talbot Mill band. It is hoped that the street car management will have a little consideration for its patrons on band concert nights and furnish proper car accommodations. No overcrowding.

"Some people think a person isn't working," said the wise one, "unless the form of labor involves coal shoveling or sawing wood or something of that kind; but it seems to me that the young woman typewriter does about as much for the money she receives as could be expected. This is something that one can prove by statistics. I have reckoned the thing up and as nearly as I can get at it the average typewriter carriage weighs about four pounds. An operator will lift this carriage five times a minute. This means that she lifts 20 pounds each minutes or 1200 pounds every hour. If she doesn't work but eight hours a day she will have lifted nearly five tons. Just think of a poor girl lifting that amount daily.

COMMUNICATIONS

TEAM RACING.

Editor Sun:—What was the fastest time made by John R. Gentry and Robert J., in team for a mile? I would also like to know where the race was held and the date.

OLD SPORT.

John R. Gentry and Robert J., in team, did a mile in 2.05, Oct. 8, 1885, at Glen Falls, N. Y.

WASHINGTON'S CABINET.

Editor Sun:—Could you please inform me how many members there were in Washington's first cabinet and who they were.

SUBSCRIBER.

Washington had four members in his cabinet, namely: Thomas Jefferson, secretary of state; Alexander Hamilton, secretary of the treasury; Henry Knox, secretary of war, and Edmund Randolph, attorney general. Samuel Osgood was postmaster general during Washington's first administration, but the postmaster general was not considered a cabinet officer until 1829.

PRESIDENT'S SALARY.

Editor Sun:—What is the salary of the president of the French republic?

READER.

The annual allowance to the president of the French republic is 600,000 francs, with a further allowance of 60,000 francs for his expenses, 600 hundred thousand francs is equal to $115,800 in American money.

POPULATION OF SECTS.

Editor Sun:—What is the relative population of the United States of America religiously? I bet that all the other religious outnumber the Catholics 10 to 1. Taking all the religions that are not Catholic into consideration, please state in next issue and oblige.

D. F. TINLEY.

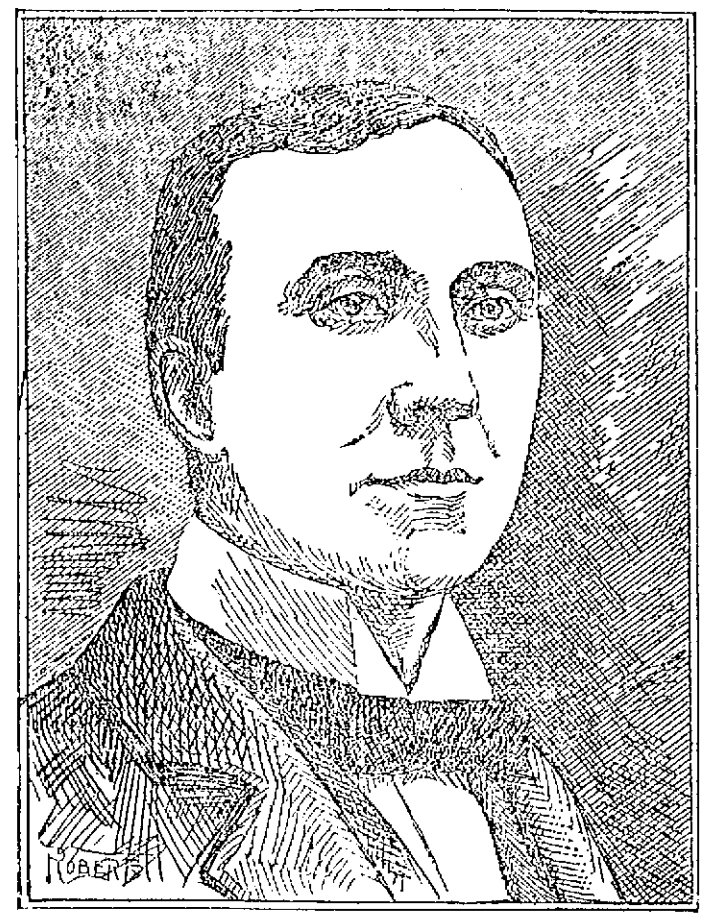
The total number of communicants of all denominations in the United States is 27,714,523. Of that number 8,565,178 are Catholics. This leaves 19,319,345 comprising all denominations other than the Catholic. You lose your bet.

TAKEN TO TEWKSBURY.

Ernest Holden, who has been in the hands of the police since Tuesday, was taken to the state almshouse by Martin J. Courtney, secretary of overseers of poor. The police were unable to find his parents or home.

FOR CONGRESS

Knox Toasts His Successor and Fights Him



HON. JOSEPH J. FLYNN,

The Democratic Candidate for Congress in 5th District.

In 1898 Knox Said He Would Run No More—In 1900 He's Running Faster Than His Opponents—How Each Candidate Might Defeat the Other Two

Let the campaign proceed uninterrupted! Butler Ames has denied the report that he employes non-union labor in his faraway tobacco factory in Porto Rico, and consequently it is "all off" with Messrs. Knox and Pickman.

It was a master stroke on Butler's part to set the public mind at rest regarding the help in that tobacco factory, and yet his friends will worry.

As the days go by and the real working days of the campaign approach, the increasing strength of William S. Knox in Lowell becomes more apparent, while the intentions of Judge Pickman become enshrouded in deeper mystery. The judge is still a candidate and his lieutenants are working, half heartedly and without system, it is true, for they have not received the proper encouragement. But ask any of them concerning Pickman's chances and you will be told that if Pickman will start now and work only half as hard as his opponents are working he will carry off the nomination.

Mr. Knox is losing no time in gaining strength that will get him delegates, his lieutenants, particularly Byron Truell of Lawrence, are also hustling amazingly. It doesn't take a great stretch of memory to go back to 1898 and recall a celebrated statement by Mr. Truell, who said: "I want Knox elected this time for it is the last time he will be a candidate for congress, and it is the last political fight in which I shall participate actively."

While recalling happenings in 1898, I recollect a little party at the Richardson house where wining and dining went on with Congressman Knox as the central figure and Hon. Fred Lawton of this city, then the recognized successor to Knox, in the party. Filling his glass with something better than Harvard, Congressman Knox arose and said: "I propose that we drink to the health of my successor, the next congressman from Lowell." All rose and drank while Judge Lawton sat with head modestly bowed. On another occasion in this city Congressman Knox filled another glass with something stronger than Harvard, and said: "To the health of my successor, our next congressman from Lowell."

All who heard Congressman Knox gave these toasts, and the temperance people need not throw up their hands in holy horror, for congressmen will drink toasts. Truly believed that he would this year turn around and help a Lowell candidate and they were greatly surprised, to say the least, upon learning that Congressman Knox, despite his pretty sayings of two years ago, was about to seek another term. There is no question but that he is seeking the office. He is several laps ahead of the Lowell candidates at this writing.

If I were running the campaign of Butler Ames, which happily, perhaps, I am not, I would give Congressman Knox the Spanish-American war, for if he was thoroughly sick of running against my hero candidate. While Colonel Ames was basking the gallant Sixth in Porto Rico, with his eyes and thoughts upon the day and a good site for a cigar factory, what was Knox doing for the poor half-fed soldiers who were following Ames to the front? "Nary" a thing!

What did he ever do for any of the soldiers? Nothing!

The only member in congress who did anything for the Massachusetts soldiers was one of the Massachusetts democrats in congress, Hon. John F. Fitzgerald of Boston, and any soldier will bear out that statement.

Congressman Fitzgerald worked day in and day out for the soldiers, but Congressman Knox, with the Sixth and Ninth regiments in his district never bothered his head about them.

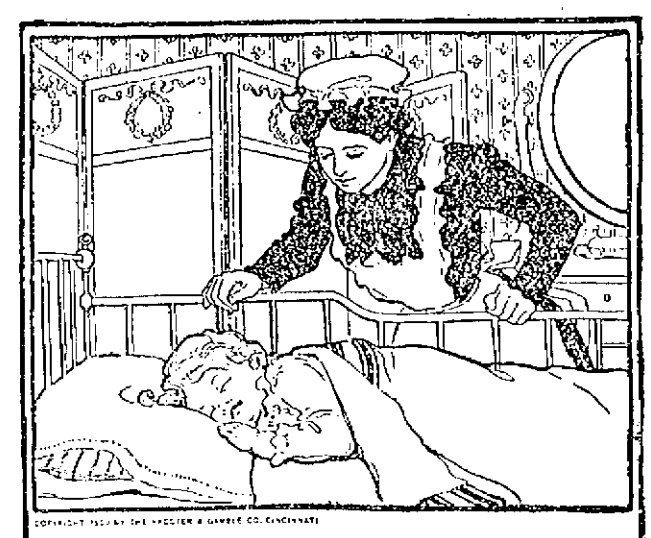
It is said that Congressman Knox disregarded letters sent him asking him to assist the soldiers. But the other republicans from Massachusetts were as bad. It was in line with the administration's policy to feed the soldiers on pitiful meat to help out a trust and the soldier who votes the republican ticket only invites a repetition of what he received, for the unfortunate soldier of the future.

If I were conducting Pickman's campaign I would put him on the stump and challenge each of the others to a joint debate on any old thing just to get them making speeches.

Were I in charge of the Knox campaign I'd pull A. G. Thompson off the Training school fight, place my affairs in his hands and take chances.

A DELIGHTFUL MUSICALE.

A delightful musicale was given at the home of Miss Henrietta Willey of Appleton street Thursday evening. Her voice of sympathetic quality was heard to advantage in Mascagni's "Till I Send I Love You," and "Ave Maria," and J. C. Bartlett's "Winona" and "A Dream." Mr. George A. Willey presided at the piano and Prof. D. Moyer Staley of the Boston School of Expression, gave several choice readings.



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OUR ASSESSORS

Some Irregularities Discovered in Their Methods

OVER ONE HUNDRED GREEKS ASSESSED

From Market Street Grocery Store

WHICH WOULD NOT ACCOMMODATE FIVE

Many Assessed in Two Cities

The recent disclosures regarding the assessment of 11 men from a bar-room on Union street has called public attention to the methods of the assessors and at first sight would seem to be a most inexcusable inaccuracy. But when one looks more carefully into the matter the blunder or whatever it was does not appear so tremendous.

In this case Assistant Assessor Riley, it is said, has explained that the list of names assessed from 29 Union street was given him and he supposed it to be correct. It is neither new nor unusual for the principal assessors to make out the assessments from lists furnished them by people supposed to be familiar with certain dwelling places. For instance, the keepers of boarding houses frequently gave the assessors lists of their boarders, the lists containing any where from 10 to 100 names.

But the discovery of 11 names assessed from a bar-room with a tenement over it on Union street is nothing compared to a state of affairs existing in the Greek quarter in Market street.

From a little grocery store not 20 feet square at the corner of Market and Lewis street the names of 122 Greeks are assessed. The entrance to the store is numbered 58 Market street and the store even though it may be the custom of Greeks to sleep in their stores, could not accommodate one-twentieth part of the number who gave their residences there.

Last year 101 Greeks were assessed from the same little grocery store.

The Sun reporter saw Assistant-Assessor Garvey who covered the district and he said: "I did not bring in those names to the assessors. Last year Prof. Istros was appointed to look after the Greeks in my district by the assessors. This year it seems Constable McManus gathered the names. When I went to the number given and found it to be a little grocery store, I immediately reported it to the principal assessors for I did not want to have irregularities in my district. These Greeks certainly do not reside at 58 Market street for there is no room for them in that place.

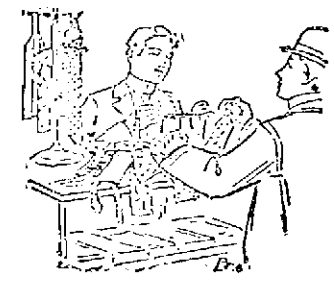
The principal assessors informed The Sun reporter that Constable McManus had been regularly appointed to do assessorial work in the Greek colony and had furnished the list of names to which the reporter referred. They knew nothing further about the matter.

Irregularities of this kind are frequent in cities like Lowell with a large migratory population. Mill employes move to different sections of the city as they change their working places and as a result are often assessed from two residences, giving the assessors considerable work and sometimes creating considerable trouble for the one assessed.

Some time ago a certain employe of City Hall held a position as the representative of a certain ward while his wife and family resided in another ward, the office holder living and maintaining a furnished room in the ward in which he was assessed and registered. An attempt was made to remove him from office on the ground that he did not reside in the ward in which he was registered. He was not removed, however, because the authority sought stated that a man did not necessarily have to live with or vote from the house occupied by his wife and family.

Another instance of frequent occurrence where men have trouble over assessments and registration is in the case of one whose home is in another city but whose work is in Lowell. He is on the voting lists in his own city and after being here the required length of time is assessed in this city. If he attempts to vote in one city while paying a poll tax in another he will come to grief if discovered and such discoveries are inevitable. A man must be assessed and registered in one city; he cannot "split".

At the present time the assessors are busy determining how much each taxpayer over the city under the new rate. The big taxpayers will find a welcome reduction in their bills this year though not as great as should be.



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There are 20 dozens only of the 19c balbriggan underwear. We got it two weeks ago, but the price has moved it, and today will probably clear it out. There's every size, including stout drawers for short men, in our special balbriggan at 48c

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6 O'CLOCK

MYSTERY SOLVED

Etta Warren Mother of Abandoned Child

Story Told the Police by Her Sister Who is Under Arrest--Child Was Born at Lowell General Hospital

Mary I. Warren, aged 24 years, was arrested in a boarding house in Third street last night on a charge connecting her with the case of abandonment of a child on Wednesday night this week.

It will be remembered that two young women called at the city farm and asked Superintendent Pinder if they could leave a child there. He could not receive the little one and so informed the women. They left the city farm and later the baby was found on the doorsteps of a house in Chelmsford street occupied by a family named Stackpole.

Since then the police have been trying to locate the two women. Supt. Pinder furnished a fine description of them and this with other information received by Inspector Allen led him to place Mary Warren under arrest. When questioned by the inspector she admitted she was implicated in the abandonment of the child, and said the mother of it is her sister, Etta Warren, of Nashua. The police at once started to locate the mother.

To Inspector Allen and Secretary Courtney of the pauper department this morning the girl under arrest made the following statement. "The mother of the child is my sister, Etta Warren, and she is in Nashua now. The father is Arvin Weeks of Hancock N. H., who has been keeping company with Etta for some time. They came from Hancock to Nashua some time ago and I have two other sisters in Nashua. The child was born at the Lowell General hospital on July 25 and mother and child remained there till last Wednesday. On that day the father of the child came to Lowell and went to the hospital and passing as the husband of the woman, gained admission to the hospital. He and my sister with the child left the hospital in the evening and I accompanied them to Merrimack Square, where the father took a car to Nashua and my sister and I went to the city farm expecting we could leave the little one there. When we could not, we put it on a doorstep and went away. I had nothing there to do with it."

The woman appeared in court this morning and when the charge of "aiding and abetting the abandonment of a child of Etta Warren," was read, she said: "I guess that is all right." She was held in $200 till next Tuesday.

Inspector Allen went to Nashua this noon to place Etta Warren, the mother of the child, under arrest.

Helen E. Garland was charged with trespassing on the property of Charles Cooper. The judge gave her to understand that she must not disturb other people.

The following first offenders were fined $2 each: Edward Mullen and James Howard.

Elizabeth Bradley pleaded guilty to drunkenness and was sent to the workhouse for 20 days.

Michael J. Graney was charged with drunkenness and also assault and battery on Delia E. Smith. Miss Smith said Graney was going along the street when he raised his hand and struck her a severe blow, which hurt her. She does not know Graney and never saw him before. Judge Hadley remarked that Graney had been before the court at least 25 times. He found him guilty and sentenced him to jail for four months on the assault charge and two months additional for drunkenness. He appealed.

Mathew Boyle, George Sullivan and Thomas Hughes went in bathing yesterday and failed to put on any clothing. They were fined $1 each.

CHINESE WAR NEWS

(Continued from Page One.)

says: "Today is not only a day of national rejoicing; it is also a day of congratulation for all the powers of the world."

Proceeding to discuss the probabilities of a cessation of hostilities, the Morning Post assumes that the United States are willing to abandon any idea of further aggressive action, but it questions the disposition of Germany and the other powers to agree to such a course.

The Berlin correspondent of the Morning Post says he learns that no formal request for an armistice has yet reached the powers and that it is improbable that any such request would be granted.

The other papers comment guardedly upon the general situation, owing to the lack of definite news when the editorials were written. Most of them advocate a stern inquisition regarding outrages and the punishment of the leaders, even if they have to be pursued all over China.

The Daily Graphic, in a paragraph apparently inspired, says there is no reason to believe that any of the powers will repudiate the previous understanding to respect the integrity of the empire and the dynasty, adding that the proposal to land a British force at Shanghai originated not with the British government but with the Chinese who, at the same time urged that his should not be done if likely to lead to international complications.

"This," says the Daily Graphic, "disposes of the story that the viceroy of Nankin changed his mind under the influence of the consuls. Her Majesty's government, we believe, has no intention of contesting the right of France or the United States to land troops should either think it necessary."

FALL OF PEKIN HOW ACHIEVED

By Associated Press to The Sun.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 18.—Previous information which has been received here showed that the allied armies took possession of Tung Chow on the 12th instant. From that city to Pekin the distance is not more than a dozen miles. It seems evident, therefore, that the armies halted for a time at Tung Chow, probably for the purpose of giving the men a rest and to prepare for the attack on the capital city in force, after waiting until the rear of the advancing hosts should arrive at the front. Possibly also, the delay was the result of negotiations inaugurated by the Chinese officials looking to the delivery of the ministers with a Chinese or other escort. If negotiations were attempted they must have failed, as the army continued on its march and attacked the capital three days after reaching Tung Chow.

The officials here were aware of the fact that the stronghold of the Boxers was in the Chinese city and for the allies to attempt to force its way through it into the tartar city in which the legation compounds are located, might mean a great loss of life and possibly a defeat. It was also known that many of the imperial troops which have sided with the Boxers were in or near the Chinese city, that much of the artillery and rifle fire which has been poured into the legations had been from the walls separating the two cities. These facts evidently were communicated to General Chaffee and the other commanding officers of the allies. Realizing these obstacles, it appears the allies decided to attack the city by the east gate. There are four entrances to the city on the east, two leading to the Chinese city and two to the tartar city. Just which of these was selected as the attacking point, Consul Fowler's despatch does not disclose.

Contrary to the press reports of today Consul Fowler's despatch shows that the attack on the city met with strong resistance. The Japanese force engaged with the advance, according to the understanding of the officials here, numbered 12,000 men, so that the loss suffered by them was over one per cent.

No mention is made of the losses of the forces of the other armies, but it is presumed that it was in proportion to that suffered by the Japanese.

The president entertained a number of friends informally at dinner last night, among whom were several acquaintances from Canton. Later in the evening, as soon as he heard of the news, Secretary Root came in from the Country club and remained with the president for some time discussing the latest information which had come to hand.

CHINESE EMPRESS FLED WITH EMPEROR

By Associated Press to The Sun.

LONDON, Aug. 18.—Shanghai despatches say that Emperor Kwang Su accompanied the empress dowager to Hsian Fu, much against his will. Prince Tuan commanded the rear guard of the imperial escort, of which Boxers formed 75 per cent. It was expected that Gen. Tung Fuh Siang would follow after the arrival of the allies. All the palace treasures were sent to Hsian Fu. The Reuter's accounts of the entry into Pekin are contradictory, some maintaining that there was fighting and others that the entrance was not opposed.

New Chwang was again attacked on August 12, but the Russians repulsed the Chinese, inflicting heavy loss, although they also suffered severely.

According to a despatch to the Daily Express from Chefoo, the despatch from Conger was received by U. S. Consul Fowler Wednesday, after saying that all the Americans were alive, except the Ingle's baby and seven marines, admitted that there was some sickness but said that he expected the food would last until relief came.

JAPANESE LOSS WAS 100 KILLED

By Associated Press to The Sun.

TOKIO, Aug. 17.—General Yamagucbi wires from Pekin under date of August 15 as follows:

"The allies attacked Pekin early yesterday, opening with artillery on the eastern side. The wall was obstinately held by the enemy. The Japanese and Russians were on the northward of the Tung Chow canal. The Americans and British were on the south side. At night the Japanese blew up the two eastern gates of the Tartar city and entered.

"In the meantime the Americans and British entered the Chinese city by the Tung Pien gates. Detachments of each force were sent towards the legations. The parties met near the legations and opened communication. All the ministers and their staffs were found safe. The Japanese loss was over 100 killed including three officers. The losses of the allies have not been ascertained. Four hundred Chinese were killed."

FIGHTING LASTED THREE DAYS

By Associated Press to The Sun.

LONDON, Aug. 18.—While waiting details of the taking of Pekin, the papers here again comment on the superior official intelligence of the authorities at Washington, the St. James' Gazette says: "The relief of the legations may now be accepted without reservation."

The Westminster Gazette attributes the celerity of the American reports to the fact that the Americans are controlling wires and have a staff officer located for the express purpose of sending news.

The following despatch has been received at the Russian war office in St. Petersburg, from General Alexieff:

"Port Arthur, Aug. 11. General Fleischer, with a force of all arms, captured Hai Cheng, Aug. 11, after three days' fighting. The Chinese loss was four hundred men and four guns. Five hundred Chinese retreated with eight guns."

THE DENT BOY

Supposed to be With Gypsy Band

NEW JERSEY DETECTIVE LOOKING FOR HIM

Has Been Missing Since Last March

By Associated Press to The Sun.

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., Aug. 18.—Little George Arthur Dent, 4 1-2 years old, disappeared nearly five months ago from his home in Lowell, Mass., and now the police of this city have been asked to assist in finding him.

The boy's parents think it quite probable he may be wandering about the country with a band of gypsies. Several of these bands have been driven away from the vicinity of this resort during the summer, and it is thought that some of them may know something about the missing boy.

A curious point in regard to the boy, and one which, more than anything else, has caused his parents to think that he may be with the gypsies, is his strange infatuation for horses. Whenever he saw a horse he immediately became interested and wanted to pet the animal. In spite of his tender years little Artie Dent could drive a single team quite well.

Last winter a tribe of gypsies visited Lowell and located near the Dent home. Artie was a frequent visitor to the encampment and fell in love with some of the horses owned by the tribe. He made friends with several of the gypsies, who apparently became very much attached to him. Late in March the gypsies broke camp and left Lowell for parts unknown and about the same time little Artie disappeared.

The distracted parents have secured the services of State Detective Charles Ainge of this city to trace their missing boy, and he is now engaged in trying to locate the various bands of gypsies in the country. The parents of the missing boy have offered a reward of $750 for the safe return of their child.

STRUCK BY LIGHTNING.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

KINGSTON, R. I., Aug. 18—John Holloway, a Kingston carpenter, who was struck by lightning yesterday afternoon, died during the night. He was 35 years old.

LABORER DROWNED

FROM A DOCK IN CHARLESTOWN THIS MORNING.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

BOSTON, Aug. 18.—Nicholas Cack, a contractor's laborer, while at work on a wharf near the new dry dock in the navy yard at Charlestown this morning, fell into the water and was drowned. Cack was 19 years old.

DEATHS

FRASER—Harry Dexter Fraser, aged 4 months, died yesterday afternoon at the home of the parents, Allan and Bertha Fraser, 13 McKinley avenue. The parents have the sympathy of a wide circle of friends.

WINN—Catherine Winn, aged 35 yrs., died yesterday at her home, 228 Cross street. She is survived by five children, Mary, Ellen, James, Sarah and Annie Winn.

MARTIN—James, aged two months, child of Patrick and Catherine Martin, died last night, at the home of his parents, 20 Marion street. The funeral took place this afternoon at 4 o'clock and interment was in the Catholic cemetery under the direction of Undertaker Charles H. Molloy.

SMITH—Mrs. Bridget Smith, the widow of the late Edward Smith, died this noon at her home, 12 Fulton street. She was a resident of Centralville for the past fifty years and was highly respected in the community. She is survived by three sons, Mr. Patrick Creag, Mr. John F. Smith and William J. Smith, and three daughters, the Misses Mary E., Bridget and Sarah A. Smith.

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J. L. CHALIFOUX

Central and Middle Sts.

DRACUT PEOPLE

Patiently Waiting on the Highway Commission

TO COMPLETE ROAD TO LAWRENCE

Laid Out Four Years Ago

DRACUT DEMOCRACY IS MOST ENTHUSIASTIC

Over Its Prospects Next Fall

The people of Dracut and in fact all residents of the north side of the Merrimack river between Lowell and Lawrence are waiting patiently for the State Highway Commission to carry out its plans of five years ago and finish the construction of that part of the proposed highway to the sea, between Lowell and Lawrence, only a few miles of which yet remain uncompleted.

Five years ago the State Highway Commission set out to construct a highway from New Hampshire to the sea. They struck Lowell from the north at the Boulevard and in their plans continued their proposed highway from the Boulevard through Riverside street to Moody street bridge to Aiken, to Lakeview avenue, to First street and then down by the river bank to Lawrence, selecting this route as the most direct between Lowell and Lawrence.

At the time of laying out this plan the town of Dracut had not been informed of their intended action and the commissioners formulated their plans before any political or other influence had been brought to bear upon them.

When it became known in Dracut that a state highway was proposed on the north side of the river the townspeople began to wrangle as to the location of the new highway. Some wanted it to follow the lines laid out by the commissioners along the bank of the river while others tried to get it further away from the river and more nearly through the center of that section of the town.

While the Dracut people were wrangling over the locations a number of citizens from the south side of the river made an attempt to have the highway go down on that side despite the great hills on the south side and the railroad crossing at South Lawrence. The south side citizens were strong in influence if not in desirability of location and it looked as if they might beat out the north side people if the latter continued to wrangle.

The Dracut people were quick to see how matters stood and they not only stopped wrangling and decided upon the location as designed originally by the highway commissioners, but they appropriated money and built a first-class road from the city line to Varnum's Landing, which may be improved by the highway commission at little cost.

While Dracut was at work doing its share toward getting the new highway on the north side the town's down river were not slow, and as a result a portion of the road is built down near Haverhill, a portion is being built between Lawrence and Dracut through Methuen, and now practically all that remains for the state highway to do is to complete its road between Lowell and Lawrence is to accept the road built by Dracut from the city line to Varnum's Landing, and construct about two miles of road from the Landing to the point where the Methuen portion of the highway begins. The residents of Dracut, many of whom have much occasion to use the road between Lowell and Lawrence, are waiting patiently for the commission to make good its promise of five years ago, and with the hearty co-operation given by the towns along the line the commission should be more appreciative and get on a move.

Dracut is very enthusiastic over its candidate for senator, John T. Sparks, and will do its share toward his election. While the town is now strictly democratic, when registration will have been completed this fall it will be more so, for there are many democrats presently located in Collinsville, who will go on the list this year and it will not be surprising if they number sufficient to change the 27th representative district into a democratic stronghold. More power to the Dracut democracy!

AIKEN STREET EXTENSION.

Aiken street extension will soon be open for traffic. The new street from Pond to Moody streets is now open to the public. The curbings have been laid and the road bed is in very good condition. It is expected that the portion of the street from Moody to Merrimack street will soon be finished.

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REAL ESTATE SALES

TRANSACTIONS FOR WEEK ENDING AUGUST 18TH, 1900.

LOWELL—George W. Day to Lewis R. Stevens, land with buildings on Charles street, $1.

Lewis R. Stevens to Homer C. Ladd, land with buildings on Edgerly's Court, $1.

Malvina Boisvert to Ernest Daigle, lot of land on Aiken avenue, $1.

John Davis to Mechanics' Savings bank land with buildings on Bridge street, $1.

Mechanics' Savings bank to Samuel S. Harris, land with buildings on Bridge street, $374.

Annie Riley to Wm. H. Healey, land with buildings on Middlesex street, $1.

John B. Tilling to Arnelle Merkercher, land with buildings on Crawford street, $1.

Thomas C. Lee, trustee, to John Harriman, lot of land on Stirling street, $1.

WESTFORD—Lucia Parley to Eaton G. Heyston, land with buildings, $1.

CHELMSFORD—Charles W. S. Adams, etux, to Morton B. Wright, lot of land at North Chelmsford, $1.

DRACUT—Arthur Lyman, trustee, to J. N. Wilfred, lot of land at Kenwood, $1.

George H. Coburn, trustee, to Albert I. Barnham, lot of land, $1.

REPORT OF DEATHS

FOR THE WEEK ENDING AUGUST 18, 1900.

9—Gideon F. White, 58, cer. hemmorhage
10—James F. Cox, 12, fracture of femur.
Michael Brady, 3 mos., chol. inft.
Yvonne St. John, 2 mos., chol. infant.
Louisa Chouinard, 2 mos., chol. inf.
11—Scholastique Beaulieu, 71, cancer.
Agnes Tobin, 73, nephritis.
Minnie E. Russell, 52, nephritis.
Thomas Kelley, 21, pulm. phthisis.
Joseph O. Morain, 8, grippe.
Odile Ouellette, 4 mos., enteritis.
12—Michael Kennedy, 69, dis. of heart.
Harold F. Goodrich, 6, diphtheria.
Ella Sheridan, 1, diarrhoea.
Joseph Kennedy, 7 mos., chol. inf.
Geoffrey Lemaire, 3 mos., chol. infant.
Ruth Smith, 1 day, prem. birth.
13—Bridget O'Neil, 60, heart disease.
Mary J. Johnson, 64, apoplexy.
Smith Doerden, 52, arterial sclerosis.
Philip Gallagher, --, peritonitis.
Bernice J. Quan, 9 mos., convulsions.
Edward Enwright, 3 mos., chol. inf.
Ida Dube, 1 mos., entero colitis.
14—Edward Preston, 19, appendicitis.
Catherine Curry, 82, apoplexy.
15—Nancy Campbell, 61, disease of heart.
Mary E. Carlsey, 42, pulm. tuberculosis.
Catherine McAloon, 30, peritonitis.
16—James Payne, 79, phthisis.
Mary Lynch, 46, cholera morbus.
Michael W. Lawler, 45, phthisis.
Michael McCrann, 24, pulm. tuberculosis.
Elizabeth Foster, 11 mos., colitis.
Michael J. Flanagan, 1, pneumonia.
Elsie Gagnon, 2 mos., diarrhoea.

GIRARD P. DADMAN, City Clerk.

SHOT HIMSELF

CONCORD MAN TRIED TO END HIS LIFE.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

CONCORD, N. H., Aug. 18.—Martin Cashin, 50 years of age, was sent up to the house of correction from this city last March for drunkenness. Some time ago he escaped and has since been hiding. Early this morning he appeared at his home and drove his wife and her sister out of doors at the point of a revolver. Then he turned the weapon on himself and put two bullets into his head. Neither inflicted a dangerous wound and it is thought that he will recover.

FUNERALS

FLANAGAN—The funeral of James Flanagan took place yesterday afternoon from the home of his parents, 45 Crosby street and was largely attended. Burial was in the Catholic cemetery in charge of Undertaker Rogers.

MILLER—The funeral of Frank Miller took place yesterday afternoon from the home of his parents in Bishop street. Burial was in the Catholic cemetery in charge of Undertaker Rogers.

PAYNE—The obsequies of the late James Payne were largely attended at the Immaculate Conception church this forenoon. There were many friends and relatives of the deceased from out of town, including the following: Mr. Harry Payne, Danvers; Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Cummings and children, Lonsdale, R. I.; Mrs. Mary Kelley, a sister of the deceased, North Attleboro; a brother, John Payne, and family of Graniteville. A requiem mass was celebrated at 10 o'clock by Rev. Fr. Lawrence, O. M. I. The choir, under the direction of Prof. P. P. Haggerty, rendered the Gregorian plain chant and at the offertory Miss Marguerite Smith sang the hymn "Pie Jesu" by Leybach. After the elevation Director Haggerty rendered the hymn "O Salutaris," by Himmel and also the solos of the Libera. At the conclusion of mass a quartette composed of Messrs. Haggerty, Green, Courtney and Clark sang the pathetic hymn, "I Love to Hear my Saviour's Voice"—an adaptation of Director Haggerty's. The interment was in the Catholic cemetery under the direction of Undertaker Davey and the pallbearers were: Messrs. Peter Bond, James Cox, Michael Kelley, Michael Ryan, Patrick Fay and Michael Tighe. The deceased is survived by a wife and one son, the latter Mr. John Payne, a popular member of the Y. M. C. I. of Belvidere.

LYNCH—The funeral of the late Mary Lynch took place this forenoon at 9 o'clock from the Immaculate Conception church and was largely attended. A requiem mass was celebrated by the pastor, Rev. William D. Joyce, O. M. I. The choir under the direction of Prof. P. P. Haggerty rendered the Gregorian chant. At the offertory Miss Marguerite Smith sang the hymn "Pie Jesu" by Leybach. After the elevation Director Haggerty rendered the hymn "O Salutaris" by Himmel and also the solos of the Libera. At the conclusion of mass the choir sang the hymn "Heaven." The interment was in the Catholic cemetery under the direction of Undertaker Davey, and the pallbearers were: Messrs. Hugh Dugan, G. McManus, Michael McQuaide and James Sullivan. Among the beautiful floral tributes was a large pillow with the inscription in blue immortelles "Mother," the last love offering of the bereaved children of the deceased; a massive standing wreath on a base inscribed "Rest," from Fred, Minnie and Lillie; Rose spray of asters, Mr. Walter Whitney; a large cross on base, "At Rest," from Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Walton; spray of purple asters, the Misses Cunningham and McCarthy; large basket, Mr. J. H. Dunham. Besides the above there were two large sheaves of wheat, each bearing the inscription "At Rest," and several sprays of different colored asters.

Searching for Heirs.

A party in Brooklyn, N. Y., is searching for heirs to claim their interest in property. Ellen Conley of Massachusetts, niece of P. J. Conley, who died in one of the western states in 1855; Walter C. Frost, Middlesex County, Mass., 1881; Anna S. Mitchell, Worcester County, Mass., 1882; Frederick S. Stevens, Essex County, Mass., 1884. Any person knowing either party will be the means of benefiting them by sending the address to Post Office Box No. 4, Station W, Brooklyn, State of New York.

BOXING GOSSIP

Patsey Haley, the former Lowell featherweight, now summering at Newmarket, N. H., writes to a Boston paper that he would like to make a match with any 120 or 122 pound man in New England and that he would prefer Billy Gardner of this city. It is very probable that Gardner will accept the offer if some club will do the rest. At the present time Gardner is undergoing an uncalled-for "knocking" from a Boston sporting writer, as the result of ill-feeling between this writer and Gardner's manager, Tom Maguire. There is a possibility that this "knocking" may injure Gardner with the different boxing clubs to the extent of preventing him from getting a match, though his friends hope not. Billy shouldn't have to suffer for the enmities made by his manager. Gardner and Haley, should they come together, would make one of the prettiest bouts seen in this vicinity in a long time.

There are few cleverer featherweights than little Haley, who has met the best men in the country with varying success, and all know that Gardner is fast coming to the front of his class. It would make a good attraction for the Kirtland Club of Lynn and would draw a big attendance from Lowell.

ENGLAND'S BANK

MAY RAISE RESERVE TO $23,000,000.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

LONDON, Aug. 18.—The Statist in an article reviewing the money market, says:

"Besides the $3,000,000 in gold attracted to the Bank of England from America and 200,000 pounds from India, it has brought a further £2,500,000 which will shortly arrive, and an inflow of 800,000 pounds from the United Kingdom is expected. Thus, the Bank of England will secure over 1,000,000 pounds and may succeed in raising the reserve at the end of the week to £23,000,000.

LAWN PARTY

IN AID OF FR. GILDAY'S CHURCH, SOUTH LAWRENCE.

A large number of Lowell people were in attendance at the lawn party held yesterday afternoon and evening in South Lawrence in aid of St. Patrick's church of which Mr. John J. Gilday, formerly of this city, is pastor. No better day could have been chosen for such an event and the grounds were crowded with pleasure seekers.

The spacious lawn was illuminated with five large arc lights situated near the pretty booths, where was sold all kinds of refreshments and sweetmeats. Red, white and blue bunting hung from the light poles and suspended between them were the numerous Japanese lanterns which put the finishing touches to the pretty decorations and showed them off to advantage.

The Lawrence brass band and the Columbia orchestra rendered music for the occasion. Dancing was the principal feature of both afternoon and evening.

At about 9 o'clock there was excellent pyrotechnic display in charge of Mr. Hoyle of Lowell.

HALF CRAZED

FATHER TRIED TO DO AWAY WITH HIMSELF AND CHILD

By Associated Press to The Sun.

NEW YORK, Aug. 18.—John Young, an iron-worker, out of employment, has been locked up by the police after a desperate attempt to drown his two-year-old baby girl and to cut his own throat.

Young, half crazed, with his struggle against poverty, took the child in his arms last evening to Pier 51, East River and threw her into the stream. The act was seen by some men nearby and one of them jumped in and rescued the little one as she was being carried down by the tide. Meanwhile the father was trying to get a razor out of his pocket to gash himself when a by-stander after a fierce struggle got the weapon away from him.

SERIOUS BLAZE

AT PEMAQUID FALLS EARLY THIS MORNING.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

DAMARISCOTTA, Me., Aug. 18.—The colony of summer residents, including a number of women at Pemaquid Falls, about seven miles south of here, assisted the villagers in preventing the destruction of the place by fire this morning.

At 1 o'clock fire broke out in a dwelling owned by A. J. Dodge, of Roxbury, Mass., at Pemaquid Falls. There is no fire apparatus in the town and the property was soon in flames. Mr. Dodge's stable and outbuildings were all burned. At one time it looked as if every building in the town would be burned. The total loss amounts to $5000, $400 of which falls on Mr. Dodge. He carried $1700 insurance. E. S. Elliott sustained a loss to stock and fixtures, principally by water, to the amount of $1500, insured $500. Cause of the fire is unknown.

FRUIT AND PICNIC

BASKETS

ALL SIZES.

W. T. S. Bartlett

655-659 Merrimack Street.

The Up-Town Hardware Store.

KILLED HIMSELF

THAT HIS WIFE MIGHT GET INSURANCE.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

CHICAGO, Aug. 17.—Charles A. Mielenz died by his own hand some time on Wednesday on the Prairie near Foster and Southport avenues, in order that his wife might receive the benefit of $2000 insurance which he carried in two German lodges. Mrs. Mielenz learned from the police last night that her husbands' body had been found. She has four boys, none of them 10 years old.

Mr. Mielenz conducted a wall paper and painting business and it was not prosperous. He left home on Tuesday morning.

On Wednesday afternoon Mrs. Mielenz received a letter from her husband mailed from a suburb and written partly in German and partly in English, in which he said:

"It is the best you can do to let me go, so everybody can get what they have coming. I feel sorry for my children. You will get enough of money from my lodges to put $1000 in the business and hold the balance for yourself and my dear children. It is hard to part, but I don't see any other way."

SWINDLING SCHEME

BOLD ATTEMPT TO GET $2500.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

LEOMINSTER, Aug. 17.—The Leominster National bank received a cablegram yesterday from Paris, ostensibly from Alexander S. Paton, who is visiting the Paris exposition, asking that $2500 be immediately forwarded to him. The bank became suspicious and communicated with R. W. Doyle, the local treasurer of the Paton Manufacturing company and he in turn cabled Mr. Paton in Paris, and this morning received the reply that no money had been sent for by Mr. Paton. Mr. Doyle left this morning for New York to consult authorities in regard to the matter, with the view of arresting the perpetrators of the scheme to swindle.

KILLED HIMSELF.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

SPRINGFIELD, Aug. 17.—Horace L. Niles, one of the oldest provision dealers of this city, accidentally shot and killed himself this morning while cleaning a shot gun. He received a full charge of shot in his abdomen and death was almost instantaneous. Mr. Niles was 6 years old and has been in business over 10 years.

MONTH'S MIND MASS.

There will be an anniversary mass Monday morning at 8 o'clock at St. Patrick's church for the repose of the soul of the late James F. Sullivan.

LOST—An open face silver watch, between McEvoy's wire works, corner Wilder and Rock streets, and 79 Rock street. Finder return to 79 Rock street.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PROBATE COURT.

Middlesex, ss.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, creditors and all other persons interested in the estate of JOSEPH S. DYER, late of Lowell, in said county, deceased, intestate:

Whereas, a petition has been presented to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased to ALBINA DYER, of Lowell in the county of Middlesex, without giving a surety on her bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the fourth day of September, A. D. 1900, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And the petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks in the Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be one day, at least, before said court.

Witness, Charles J. McIntire, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this seventeenth day of August, in the year one thousand, nine hundred.

W. E. ROGERS, Asst. Register.

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Peter J. Brady,

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These pretty gowns are designed for young girls of eighteen. They are made of the new light-weight cloths and are in the pale shades. The first one is of the new shade of blue, called "tendre," with a ruffled front panel of the same. The bodice is carried out in the same style as the skirt. The second gown shows a pale tan cashmere trimmed with inexpensive Venetian lace; the third is of light red, trimmed with narrow bands of black velvet ribbon.

PRETTY GOWNS FOR GROWING GIRLS.

For the First Time in Her History the French Maiden Is Wearing Fashionable Dresses.

STYLES FOR NEW BODICES.

Trouville, August 9. The French girl is emerging from the severely prosaic condition in which her mother has always kept her into one that is more agreeable for the girl and certainly more attractive to the outside world.

It is a wonder that the French girl has ever married. Kept in the nursery and the schoolroom, denied the pleasures of the world, seldom or never visiting the theatre or opera, going nowhere and seeing no one, she has grown up a big-eyed innocent creature, as unlike the American girl as it is possible to picture her.

After her marriage, which was always arranged by her parents, the shrinking French girl emerges into the society woman, no longer timid, nor retiring, but with her whole life, bent, apparently, in making up for the time she lost in her girlhood.

The Misses Van Alen, daughters of J. J. Van Alen, the wealthy American who was appointed to the Court of Italy by President Cleveland, but who resigned from diplomatic reasons, were educated in France, after their mother's death, which occurred when they were tiny children. To their horror they were allowed no pleasures beyond a few most simple ones, such as were given to a child of four and when they sought to gain the intellectual freedom of grown women they were restrained. So, with Miss Pauline Astor, but, in both cases, the fathers of the girls rescued them and gave them such freedom as is allowed in America.

The French girl is being seen now, as never in her life before. At Trouville the other day the writer counted half a dozen young women of eighteen walking upon the plazza of one of the hotels. They were well dressed in all the pretty little belongings that seem a part of girlhood. By their side trotted a pink flanned young man bent upon pleasing them. They were French summer girls—types that were strangers to France before this year.

A French girl who formerly wore "any old thing" is now very mollishly attired in fine little gowns that are designed for her and built specially to fit her figure.

In response to the demand for gowns for growing girls one of the tradesmen upon the Rue de la Paix advertises designs for half grown girls, and very becoming they are, with their broad waisted effects and their skirts that are made to escape the ground.

So very pretty are some of these gowns that you see young women who have been out several seasons copying them and dressing like the girl of sixteen, even to the wearing of the hair in a big louse coil at the very nape of the neck, where a big ribbon bow secures it.

A model sketched at Trouville was in blue albatross, with the skirt laid in box plaits all the way around, except right in the middle of the front where it was plain. The waist was made with a shirred front and plain back. Such delightful sleeves were made with the bell shape elbow flaring well; and inside this bell there were worn Bishop sleeves gathered around the hand in a little tight cuff tied with ribbons.

The bodice had a girdle of corn colored satin ribbon fully five inches deep, brought around the waist very smoothly and hooked at the side, under the arm. Beautiful little pins of yellow topaz were used to secure the belt-fastening at the side and were placed at intervals around the girdle.

BLUE AND YELLOW.

The stock was of the same smooth piece of yellow satin and a yellow satin ribbon tied the hair. Upon the front of the waist was a big handsome bow of the yellow satin, thus finishing the waist very prettily.

Of course the tiny bolero must always be in evidence and a small bolero of Irish point was slipped on over this waist. As though there could be any warmth in a fluffy little garment like this, the bolero was lined with satin to be taken off when the sun shone brightly.

The bell-shaped sleeve will be the sleeve of fall for young and old. While many sleeves are falsely called the bell the true bell-shaped sleeve is the one that is very tight to the wrist, but below the wrist it flares into a bell. The real sleeve is worn very long and also very short, the latter being only to the elbow, where it has a big bell just above the joint where the arm bends. Below the bell there is the Bishop sleeve in lace extending to the wrist.

There are many styles worn by the young and those of more mature mould. One of these is the sleeve just described. Another is the draped tunic which is composed of gathers brought from the bust line. At the waist there is a broad belt or girdle, and, below the belt, the tunic falls in gathers again, to a point nearly to the foot of the skirt. Underneath there is a skirt trimmed with a very deep flounce.

A very charming end is sometimes used for finishing the fichu and also for finishing the trimming of the skirt. It consists of a piece of goods so cut that, when folded and fastened, it will fall in little plaits, as a side trimming.

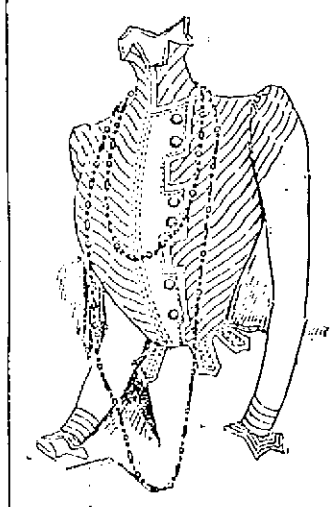
Early autumn street gowns will be made in very light shades of cloth, the prettiest and most delicate of these being ice color which is nearly white, with shades of pink and blue showing through it. The weaving of such a piece of cloth is a work of art as the threads are woven through the goods in such a way as to show blue from one direction and pink from the other. Ice color will be among the most fashionable of the fall shades.

BRILLIANT LININGS.

There is a vogue for brilliant linings. A gown, recently made for an American woman to wear at Newport this September, is of ice cloth cool, shimmering and beautiful. The skirt, which is very short, being little more than ankle length is lined with Jack rose taffeta. The coat is an Eton with white silk revers, the whole of ice cloth lined with the Jack rose taffeta. Revers of the silk turn over at the throat. The blouse to be worn with the Eton is a pale blue gingham the plaids showing a thread of red.



This little gown for a girl under twenty is made of checked goods, the skirt and waist being box-plaited. Broad bands of black taffeta trim the skirt, and the yoke is composed of the taffeta.

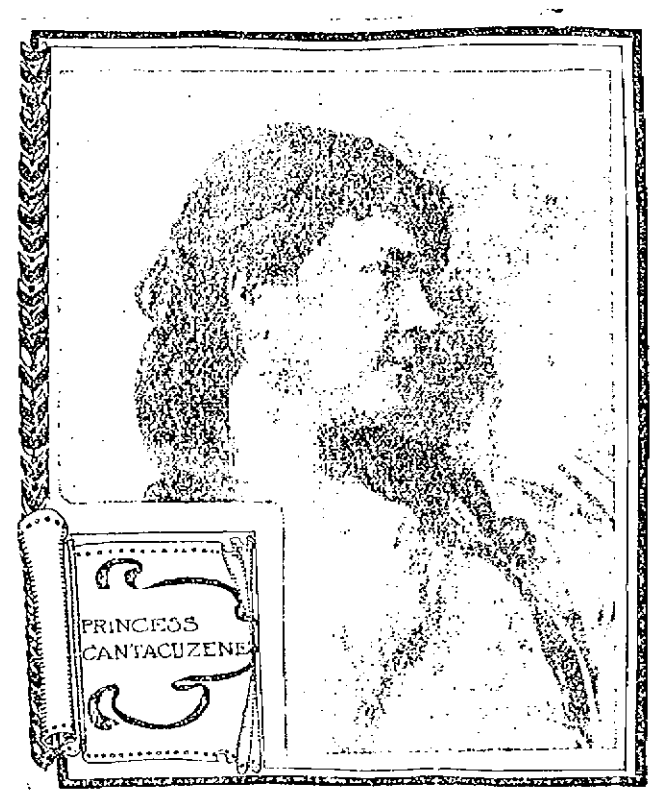


Here you see an exceedingly smart tailor-made waist of satin cloth. Narrow bands of black silk braid are put on diagonally. The double-breasted front is fastened with smoked pearl buttons. A very long chain is looped twice around the neck.

AN IDEA FOR A HANDSOME HOUSE BODICE.



A very attractive bodice is made of aluminum grey taffeta with clusters of tucks placed widely apart. A band of lace over silk outlines the yoke and vest and a trimming of lace finishes the sleeves. The skirt is of figured material showing lines in many gay colors.



Since the birth of her baby a month ago the Cantacuzene family have been more than ever in love with their American daughter-in-law. In a private letter a friend of the Princess says: "If anything could have been needed to cement the tie between the Princess and her Russian relatives this event has filled the gap." From the first the Cantacuzenes were fascinated with the American girl, a feeling which reaches to the palace of the Czar.

PERFUMES LOVED BY FAIR QUEENS.

Wilhelmina of the Netherlands Almost Bathes In Cologne and Other Crowned Heads Have Their Fads.

By Annette Rierdon Reed.

Amsterdam, Holland.—It was at Scheveningen, a little coast spot that has been dubbed "the Coney Island of Holland" that I first saw Holland's Queen. She had driven down from The Palace of the Woods, that pretty place where the Peace Commissioners met, and was doing a bit of shopping, only a tiny bit for they do not display a great many wares at Scheveningen.

The young Queen, who was, on this occasion, accompanied by her mother, stopped at a little bazaar and there purchased a bottle of cologne. It might have been a rare bit of sweet extract for it was in a small bottle and was delicately labelled. The little vial caught the young Queen's eye and she alighted from the carriage and left the cream-colored horses pawing the ground.

This is not the first time the Queen of Holland has gone shopping for sweet scents. She is extravagantly fond of perfumes and buys them by the wholesale. She purchases eau de cologne by the gallon and is probably the largest individual consumer of the perfume. She scents her fair skin with it night and morning. No French woman ever had a greater liking for perfumery than she. Her maids have their hands lightly dipped in orris water so that their presence is pleasant.

Wilhelmina of the Netherlands uses an entire champagne bottle of this aromatic essence of cologne every morning, and so intent is the little majesty on getting her fill of her favorite toilette vinegar that she has the bottle opened in her very presence, sniffs it, assures herself of its high quality by a test over a lamp and then pours the contents into the bath with her own hand. Of course, this is not the regulation tub, but a large marble affair, built into the floor and reached by five steps, so that the room beneath is only half a story high.

Her Majesty remains seven minutes in the bath, using a certain soap, little scented. Then she draws a waterproof cap over her hair and steps under a "shower," where the finest bay rum takes the place of water. After that she is rubbed down by her old, round and big-armed nurse.

Wilhelmina has a beautiful, yet delicate complexion, which she believes will take care of itself if regularly treated as set forth and then left to its own normal course. Preparatory to dinner, theatre, reception or balls she uses a Turkish towel and plenty of warm water on her face and neck, soap for the hands only, day and evening.

Up to the conclusion of the peace of Paris, which settled the latest unpleasantness between Spain and the United States, the ladies of the Peninsular court, and Her Majesty Queen Christina in particular, used ylang-ylang to give their clothes and handkerchiefs a sweet odor. Indeed, they thought it their patriotic duty to do so, for ylang-ylang is one of the products of the Philippines. When, however, the islands were ceded to Uncle Sam, the fashionable perfume, so long regarded as the pink of perfection, lost its charms, and a substitute of a Madrid maker called Water of Spain, was ostentatiously adopted, Christina authorizing the dealers to use her name in pushing the sale.

Queen Victoria still clings to patchouli, which perfume became the fashion when India shawls were first introduced. She scents her linen with lavender, also an old-timer in England, but the face powder man and concoctor of toilet vinegars and cosmetics who depended upon the custom of the Queen, her daughters and granddaughters would have to close up shop, for no matter how many firms claim royal patronage for scented wares and beautifiers, the great ladies mentioned wear their own complexion.

Albert Edward, on the other hand, is credited with giving every new perfume that comes up a trial, because he likes to be in the fashion and because the smell of tobacco and the stable, when it clings to his person, is offensive to him.

The young Empress of Russia, beautiful as she is and with new riches thrust upon her, delights in the luxuries of the toilet table, for which she spends 100,000 francs per year with a single Paris perfumery firm alone.

The German Empress gives a certain spermaceti soap credit for keeping her shoulders so marvellously white. The brand favored by her has a delicious, refreshing odor, relaxes the muscles of the skin, and, at the same time, acts as a tonic.



Queen Helene of Italy is a dashing brunette with wonderful eyes. She is nearly six feet tall and is a superb horsewoman. She is very popular with her subjects, and was sincerely mourned when she removed her home from Naples to Rome.

Peppermint being so cheap that nobody would think of adulterating it, Her Majesty uses a tincture of that herb for a mouth wash. New-mown hay is her favorite pocket handkerchief perfume, and the atmosphere of her room is sweetened by eau de cologne atomizations at frequent intervals. The Empress uses powder freely, and it seems hard that her husband won't allow her to dye her hair, which is strangely gray for a woman of her age, forty-three, but then William must meddle with everything.

Another royal woman gray and wrinkled despite the promises of complexionists, is Carmen Sylva, the Queen poetess of Roumania.

Her Majesty is free to say that she tried every known wrinkle destroyer and hair dye. When everything failed she let nature have its course and certainly doesn't use it. She is to-day, a fine, matronly woman and rejoices in a surprisingly clear and fresh skin, thanks to an extract made from certain herbs found in Roumanian forests. The Queen, having a knowledge of chemistry, concocts this extract herself.

The dainty Crown Princess of Roumania who, as a girl, was known as "little Mary of Edinburgh" and whose beautiful children are the admiration of royal relatives, uses rose water for her complexion, alternating, from week to week, with a vegetable tonic. On her handkerchiefs she puts jasmine, because few chemists have as yet learned to imitate that odor. Her linen chests are lined with chamois, perfumed with white heliotrope, an idea that hardly needs recommendation.

The Queen of Italy is certainly one of the best preserved women of fifty now before the public, though her life cannot be called an untroubled one and though she is perpetually haunted by fears that King Victor will be assassinated.

To keep the pores clean and the skin well nourished Her Majesty uses a cream made of the flowers of the Campagna, the great swamp region in the neighborhood of Rome. Arabian water serves as a special tonic for the royal coiffe when the Queen goes hunting or mountain climbing. Her soap is of Italian make. On her handkerchief she uses nothing but cologne.

About Tacks.

The best tacks are made of imported Swedish iron; the next grade of American soft steel, and the cheapest of common American iron. Tacks are also made of copper. Some tacks are tinned, and for ship use tacks are galvanized. Tacks are made of sizes ranging from half-ounce to 24-ounce. The tack commonly used as a carpet tack is an 8-ounce tack. A 24-ounce tack is about 1 1-8 inches in length.



The yachting gowns of fall are all in the new shades of green. This becoming dress has a skirt of bright green, laid in little tucks, half way down, below which it flares around the foot. The tunic is an eccentric one, very long in front and short in the back and upon the sides. Tunic and bolero are in a deeper shade of green. The vest, the bow at the neck and the hat scarf are all in a very light green with dark chenille dots of the green.



VERY REV. FR. LEFEBVRE, O. M. I.

There will be a general retreat at the Tewksbury novitiate for all of the Oblate Fathers in this part of the country, occupying the first five days of next week. Rev. William D. Joyce, O. M. I., pastor of the Immaculate Conception church and Rev. John P. Reynolds, O. M. I., pastor of the Sacred Heart church, will attend the retreat which will be preached by the Very Reverend Joseph Lefebre, O. M. I., provincial of the Order of Mary Immaculate of the United States. During the retreat Rev. Fr. Lawrence, O. M. I., will act as pastor of the Immaculate Conception church, and Rev. Thomas Murphy, O. M. I., will perform like duty at the church of the Sacred Heart.

ONLY FIVE HITS

Made Off Powell by the Bostons

WILLIS ALSO PITCHED IN FORM

Both Teams Played Fast Ball

By Associated Press to The Sun.

St. Louis, Aug. 18.—John Powell is nothing if not a hot weather twirler, yesterday in the blazing hot sun, with the mercury playing tag with the 100 mark in the shade, he faced the Bostons, and at no time during the nine innings did he appear to be in trouble.

Five hits were made off the boiler maker, and they were scattered throughout four innings. In the sixth he was touched up pretty hard by Hamilton and Long. They met the ball hard, and their two hits netted them five bases.

The game was devoid of any sensational work. The plays were all easy. The only excitement furnished was in the sixth inning, when Boston made three runs, and tied the score. Hamilton, the first man up in this inning, doubled to left. Long hit an easy grounder to Keister. Billy had two chances to make a put out, as he could have handed the ball to Dillard in time to retire Hamilton or throw to McGann and cut off the batter. He made a schoolboy fumble and both men were safe. Stahl was lucky in his effort. He sent the ball over Wallace's head. It looked for all the world like a single. Burkett had no chance for it on the fly and he waited for the bound. The ball bounded higher than he expected and it went over his head and rolled to the left field bleachers. Before Jess could return the sphere Stahl was snugly located on the third cushion. This was the only time during the game that Boston appeared at all dangerous. Only in this inning did the visitors get a man as far as third. In five innings they were retired in order.

The score by innings:

Innings	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
St. Louis	1	0	2	0	0	1	1	2	—	7
Boston	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	— 3

Earned runs, St. Louis 4, Boston 2. Two base hits, Hamilton, Lowe. Three base hits, Burkett, Stahl. Sacrifice hits, Heidrick, Powell. Hit by pitcher, Keister. Double play, Wallace and McGann. Base on balls, Powell 2, Willis 2. Passed ball, Clarke. Struck out, by Powell 3. Stolen bases, Dufy, Donovan 2, Burkett 2. Time 2h. Umpire, Hurst. Attendance 3100.

The other games resulted as follows: Pittsburg 5, Brooklyn 3.
Cincinnati 5, Philadelphia 4 (11 innings).

FITZ AND SHARKEY FIGHT.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

NEW YORK, Aug. 18.—It was announced last night that the big battle between Bob Fitzsimmons and Sharkey at Coney Island will be decided on Saturday night August 25, instead of Friday, August 24, as was originally intended.

EVENING HIGH SCHOOL ALUMNI.

The regular meeting of the Lowell evening high school alumni was held in Burbank hall last night. Following the regular business an enjoyable program was carried out. Many friends and members were present. Three new members were accepted. The next meeting will be held on Friday evening, Sept. 21.

LABOR NEWS

At the regular meeting of Lowell Lodge 128, Machinists in Leather Workers' hall last night five candidates were installed and eight applications were received. The rallying committee of the Trades and Labor Council was present and made remarks relative to the Labor Day parade. The machinists have voted to turn out in the parade.

VACATIONS FOR OPERATIVES.

Several departments of the Carpet mills are closed down for two weeks. Work has been suspended in a small portion of the Moore mills at North Chelmsford for the same length of time.

COLUMBIA COUNCIL, O. U. A. M.

Columbia Council transacted routine business only at their meeting held last evening. During the course of this plans were matured for the fishing trip to Marblehead on Labor Day.

DRACUT

There was a large attendance at Contractor Holand's sale in Dracut on Thursday afternoon, and very good prices were obtained. The highest price for a team horse was $175, and lowest was $101. Auctioneer Keyes was in charge.

PENSION CHANGES.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 18.—The following pension resulting from the issue of July 31, are announced:

Massachusetts.

Original—Edward F. Stevens, Hyde Park, $8; Theodore W. Draper (dead) North Attleboro, $12. Special August 2, Andrew N. Thorington, Chicopee Falls, $12.

Increase—William N. Webb, Lynn, $8. Reissue, George S. Morse, Taunton, $12.

Original widows, etc.—Minor of Marcus L. Daggett, North Attleboro, $14, Martha C. Wakefield, Hingham, $8; Mary Sterne, Lowell, $8; Adelaide H. Draper, North Attleboro, $8; Special accrued July 30, Elizabeth R. Matthews, Long Meadow, $8; Georgiana Lovejoy, Brockton, $8; Delia P. Morris, Dorchester, $8; Alice H. Mowatt, Lowell, $8

COWDRY HOUSE BURNED.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

NEW IPSWICH, N. H., Aug. 18.—The Cowdry house, located in this village, near the factory, was burned yesterday afternoon, as was also the greater part of the furniture. The loss is $2200, with an insurance of $1500.

BANK BOOKS FOUND

BELONGED TO MRS. TYLER WHO WAS ROBBED RECENTLY.

Several weeks ago, while entering the Mechanics Savings bank, Elizabeth W. Tyler, an old lady living in Pelham, N. H., was robbed of a hand satchel containing money to the extent of over $50 and bank books representing about nearly $3000. The thief snatched the satchel from her hand and he has not been seen since. Thursday night as Officer Clements was going through the hall of the Cunningham block in Market street, he found the bank books and the satchel under a stairway. He reported the matter to headquarters and was told to communicate with the owner, with which he has since complied.

WENT FISHING.

Mr. James P. Donohoe of the Rockingham hotel and ex-Representative Owen Donohoe, "piloted" a party of Lowell and Watertown friends, yesterday, to Great pond, North Andover, for a day of piscatorial pleasure. Fish yarns are now in order.

ADVANCE IN COAL

Retail Dealers May Put up Price

AS WHOLESALE PRICES ARE HIGHER

Reasons Assigned for the Rise

It is rumored about that after the first of September or October 1st at the latest the retail price of coal will go up 25 cents per ton and as a result the coal business is rushing at present the wise are getting in their winter supplies before the rise comes.

Last winter coal sold for $6.75 per ton. May 1 the price dropped to $6.25 where it has remained ever since. The retailers are at the mercy of the wholesalers and instead of dropping to summer prices, the wholesalers on July 1 jumped up 25 cents per ton.

The retail men did not make a corresponding advance in price, but stood the shrinkage in their profits. They claim that the net profit on coal is very small, and that they cannot afford to stand another 25 cent raise without advancing the price.

One of our local dealers thinks it quite possible that the wholesale trade will advance the price not more than 10 or 15 cents, in which case the retailers will be able to pull through by merely making an advance of 25 cents, to their customers, to cover the 25 cents advance made by the wholesalers July 1. The figures quoted apply to stove coal, but the same is true, proportionately of furnace and soft coal.

The best grades of manufacturing coal advanced three weeks ago, in the wholesale market, 25 cents a ton.

The war and scarcity of labor owing to strikes at the mines are held responsible for the high prices.

NORTH CHELMSFORD

Mr. William Miller of Lowell and Miss Carrie Bridgford of North Chelmsford were united in marriage at 8 o'clock Wednesday night at the home of the bride in North Chelmsford, and the marriage ceremony was performed by the Rev. A. R. Riggs of Lowell. Miss Clara Swanwich of North Chelmsford was bridesmaid and Mr. Henry Ames of Lowell was the best man. The bride was beautifully attired in white silk, trimmed with chiffon. She wore a bridal veil and carried bridal roses. The bridesmaid was dressed in white muslin. Many costly presents were received by the newly married couple. After the marriage ceremony a collation was served at the home of the bride and friends were present from Tyngsboro, Lowell, Chelmsford Centre and Westford. At 9.30 o'clock the happy couple left on their wedding tour for New York, and after their return they will reside in Liberty street, Lowell.

Miss Josie McCabe, organist of St. John's church, and Mrs. William J. Quigley and daughter Gertrude, all of this village, are spending their vacation at Crescent beach.

MATRIMONIAL

ADAMS—LEAVITT.

A very pretty wedding ceremony was performed Tuesday afternoon at the residence of the groom, 278 Manchester street when the Rev. N. L. Colby united in marriage Edward S. Adams and Miss Bertha G. Leavitt.

The ceremony was performed at 3 o'clock in the afternoon and was attended by only the near relatives of the contracting parties. The groom is one of the best known of Manchester's young men, having been a resident of this city the majority of his life.

Mr. and Mrs. Adams will be found at home to friends at 278 Manchester street.—Manchester Union.

Mrs. Adams was formerly a resident of this city and the newly-wedded couple visited friends here on their marriage tour.

DALLAIRE—O'DONNELL.

At St. Joseph's parochial residence on Wednesday evening, Mr. Pierre Dallaire and Miss Annie Irene O'Donnell were united in marriage by Rev. Fr. Gagnon, O. M. I. The best man was Mr. Joseph Grimes and the bridesmaid was Miss Emma Dallaire.

LOWELL PREACHER IN DEMAND.

Rev. J. F. Allen is to preach at the Laurel Park camp meeting at Northampton, Mass., on Thursday of next week, and on Friday is to speak for the Women's Foreign Missionary society at the same place. The week following he is to speak at the Sterling camp meeting.

WESTFORD

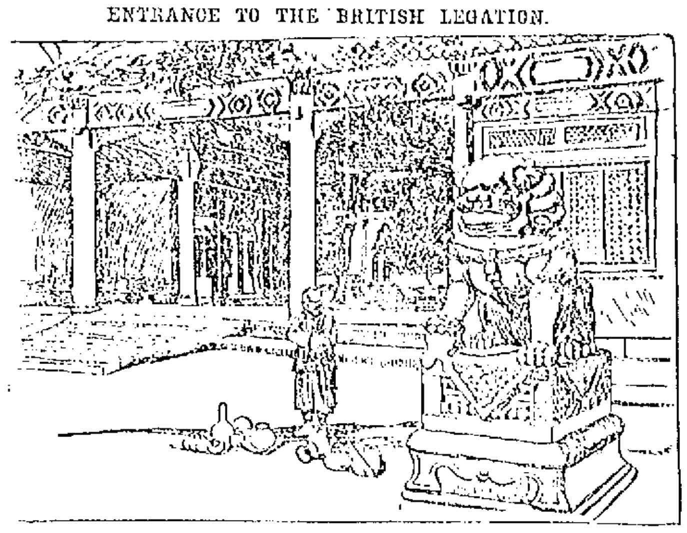
There will be no morning service at the Congregational church during the remainder of the month of August; but the Sunday and mid-week evening meetings will be held the same as usual. Mr. Osgood is the leader for next Sunday evening and Miss Loker will lead the Wednesday evening meeting.

On Saturday, Aug. 25, this church will hold its annual picnic at Nabnasset grove, unless the day should prove stormy, when it would be postponed to some future date.

A JURY REUNION.

A reunion will soon be held in Tyngsboro by the jury which served in the March term of the superior court in Lowell.

ENTRANCE TO THE BRITISH LEGATION.



The largest of the foreign legations, where the ministers accredited to the court of Peking resided, was that of Great Britain, which also occupied the most commanding situation and is reported to have afforded a temporary refuge to the unfortunate foreigners who at the latest uprising were caught within the walls.

INFORMAL DANCE

BY COTTAGERS AT WILLOW DALE LAST EVENING.

The cottagers about Lake Mascuppic held an informal dance last evening at Willow Dale. Mr. W. E. Savage had spent the day in decorating the hall with branches, plants, lanterns and flags. The reception corner had a striking background of maple saplings; fox skins were placed at each side of an old-fashioned sofa and several rockers and easy chairs made it a delightful cosy corner.

On the wall opposite the orchestra was a large oil painting of a cove of the lake. Along the sides was a flag from the "Gun Boat," and two large hats, the subscript of which, "Our Mascots," caused no little amusement.

The dancing was enjoyed by all and continued long in the evening.

About 20 couples were on the floor among whom were City Auditor Chas. and wife Mr. and Mrs. J. W. W. Tuton, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Young, Mr. and Mrs. George W. Colon, Mr. and Mrs. W. Hayes, Mr. and Mrs. Wilson and daughter, Mrs. W. E. Savage, the Misses Dunning, Jewell, Bowers, Ham, Cohen, Young, Fels, Cushing and Ciena; Mr. and Mrs. O. K. Dexter, J. S. Marion, Harry Cohen, Charles Cohen, Daniel McKenzie, Harold Jewell, Max Fels, Grover Fels.

The committee on arrangements were: Managers W. E. Savage; aids, Victor Jewett, Max Fels, E. W. Young and Harry Cohen; matrons, Mrs. Frank Jewett, Mrs. August Fels, Mrs. John Bowers and Mrs. George Bowers.

Music by McElroy's orchestra.

TEWKSBURY

Mrs. Samuel Pike of West Tewksbury has returned from a very enjoyable vacation at Ocean Park, Old Orchard beach.

Dancing parties to Lakeview has become quite a popular fad with young ladies from the West Tewksbury district.

The usual weekly open air meeting will be held on the common at the Centre tomorrow afternoon. A large number of Lowell people are expected to be present.



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Notice to Contractors.

Sealed proposals will be received at the office of the Lowell Water Board, until 8 o'clock, P. M., Friday, August 24th, 1900, for furnishing all labor and material required for an addition and changes to Pumping Station No. 4 at Pawtucket Boulevard, including foundation walls for boiler house, boilers and smoke stack foundations, brick work engine room, brick setting for boilers and carpenter work, as shown on plans on file in this office. Proposals to be addressed to Lowell Water Board and endorsed "Proposals for additions to Pumping Station No. 4."

The price proposed must be price for furnishing all material and tools and doing all the work and all proposals containing bids not called for in this advertisement will be considered informal. Subbidders to be named and to be acceptable to the Water Board.

No bid will be considered unless accompanied by check equal to 10 per cent. of the amount of bid; all figures must be based on the completion of work within sixty (60) days of the award of contract.

The Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

Plans can be seen and all information can be obtained at the office of the Lowell Water Board.

FRANK L. WEAVER,
AUGUST FELS,
MICHAEL J. DOWD,
HERBERT C. TAFT,
Lowell Water Board.

Aug. 17, 1900.

Boston & Maine R. R.

Corrected to June 25, 1900. Trains leave Merrimack Street Depot, Lowell, as follows:

For Boston, 6.43, 6.22, c6.42, *7.45, *8.50, c9.15, *9.45, 11.00 a. m.; 1.10, c3.00, 4.25, c5.14 p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.5 a. m.

Trains leave Middlesex Street Station, Lowell, as follows:

For Boston, 5.16, 6.23, *6.30, c6.45, w6.50, 7.04, *7.21, 7.31, *7.15, c7.50, w*8.00, *8.57, c9.15, w9.25, *9.50, w10.30, 11.03, *11.12 a. m.; w12.05, 12.26, w12.45, 1.11, *1.57, w2.25, w3.10, c3.54, *3.17, w3.55, *4.02, 4.28, w5.15, 5.22, c5.43, w6.15, *6.22, 7.00, *7.10, 8.42, w9.29 p. m. SUNDAYS, 6.32, 7.27, 8.48, 9.17 a. m.; 12.05, 4.05, 4.25, 5.58, 8.45 p. m.

For Lawrence and Haverhill, 6.28, w8.55, z7.54, w8.50, w9.25, 10.05, w10.50 a. m.; w12.05, w3.26, 3.55, 4.15, w5.15, w6.15, w7.00, w9.25, wh11.25 p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.15 a. m., 12.05, 6.21, 8.45 p. m.

For Salem, Mass., w6.23, 7.31, a. m.; w12.05, 1.25, w6.15, 5.58 p. m.

For Newburyport, Amesbury and Portsmouth, 6.21 a. m.; 12.05, 2.25, 3.55, 6.15 p. m.

For Haverhill, Newburyport, Hampton, North Hampton, Portsmouth and stations on York Beach railroad, 2.25 p. m., July 2 to Sept. 7 inclusive.

For Exeter and Dover, c.25, 6.50, z7.54, 8.30 a. m.; 12.05, 3.55, 6.18 p. m. SUNDAYS, k8.15 a. m.; 5.30 p. m.

For Rochester and Alton Bay, 8.30 a. m.; 12.05, 3.55 p. m.

For Somersworth, N. H., Saco, Old Orchard and Portland, 6.25, 6.50, z7.31, 8.30 a. m.; 12.05, 3.55, 5.18 p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.30 p. m.

For Lewiston, Augusta, Bath, Waterville, 6.50, 8.30 a. m.; 12.05, 5.18 p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.30 p. m.

For Bangor, Belfast, Skowhegan and Rockland, 6.50, 8.30 a. m.; 5.18 p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.30 p. m.

For St. John, N. B., Halifax, N. S., Montreal and Quebec, 6.50 a. m.; 5.18 p. m. (5.18 does not run Saturdays). SUNDAYS, 5.30 p. m.

For Eastport and St. John (via steamer from Portland), on Monday, Wednesday and Friday, at 12.05 p. m.

For Castine, Deer Isle, Sedgwick, Bar Harbor, Jonesport and Machiasport (via steamer Frank Jones from Portland), Tuesday and Friday at 5.18 p. m.

For Woburn, 6.25, 7.04, 7.31, *7.45, 11.03 a. m.; 1.42, 4.28, 5.18 p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.48 a. m.; 4.25, 5.58 p. m.

For stations between Winchester and Boston, Southern Division, 5.16, 6.23, 7.31, 7.45, 9.50, 11.03 a. m.; 1.43, 4.28, 5.22, 6.44 p. m. SUNDAYS, 6.30, 7.27, 8.15, 9.17 a. m.; 4.25, 5.58 p. m.

For Ayer Junction and Way Stations, 7.18 a. m.; 12.00, 5.01, and 5.12 p. m. SUNDAYS, 2.15 p. m.

For Amherst, Milford and Wilton, 9.05 a. m.; 1.00, 3.41 and 5.40 p. m. SUNDAYS, 2 p. m.

For Greenfield, Peterboro, Bennington, Hillsborough and Keene, 9.05 a. m., and 3.41 p. m. SUNDAYS, to Hillsboro, 2 p. m.

For Nashua, Manchester and Concord, 7.41, 9.05, *9.15, *10.00, *10.35 a. m.; *12.09, 1.00, *1.41, *1.51, 3.41, *5.40, 5.27, *8.10, *9.24 p. m. SUNDAYS, 12.04 a. m. (to Nashua only), 2.05 a. m.; 2.00, 6.07, 8.10, *9.24 p. m.

For Franklin, Lebanon, White River Junction, 9.05, *9.40 a. m.; *12.12, *1.40, 5.40, *9.24 p. m.

For Warner, Bradford, Sunapee, Newport (N. H.) Claremont and Claremont Junction, 7.33, 9.05 a. m.; 1.40 p. m.; 3.41, s8.15 p. m. Saturday only till August 25th inclusive.

For St. Johnsbury and Lyndonville, via Wells River, 10.35 a. m.; *1.40 *10.24 p. m.

For Montpelier, Essex Junction, Burlington, St. Albans, St. Johns and Montreal via Central Vermont line, *9.40 a. m.; *12.09, *9.24 p. m.

For Montreal and Quebec, via Montreal and Boston Air Line, *10.35 a. m.; *10.24 p. m. QUEBEC EXPRESS, via Plymouth and Sherbrooke, *1.40, *10.24 p. m.

References.
*Express.
a Daily.
b Wednesdays and Saturdays only.
c Via Bedford.
k To Exeter only.
s Saturday only.
w Via Western Division.
z Via Wilmington Junction.

D. J. FLANDERS, Gen. Pass. and Ticket Agent.
H. C. TAFT, General Agent, Lowell.

Notice to Boiler Manufacturers.

Sealed proposals will be received at the Lowell Water Board office, City Hall, until 8 o'clock, P. M., Friday, August 24th, for two horizontal tubular boilers and smoke stack, according to plans and specifications on file at said office.

All bids must be addressed to the President of the Lowell Water Board and marked, "Proposals for Boilers and Smokestack."

No bids will be considered unless accompanied by check equal to 10 per cent. of the amount of the bid and all figures must be based on the completion of work within sixty (60) days of the date of award of contract.

The Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

FRANK L. WEAVER,
AUGUST FELS,
MICHAEL J. DOWD,
HERBERT C. TAFT,
Lowell Water Board.

Aug. 17, 1900.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts,

Middlesex, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, creditors and all other persons interested in the estate of CATHERINE O'ROURKE, late of Lowell, in said county, deceased, intestate.

Whereas, a petition has been presented to said court to grant a letter of administration on the estate not already administered of said deceased, to JOHN W. McEVOY, public administrator, of Lowell, in the county of Middlesex, or to some other suitable person.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the fourth day of September, A. D., 1900, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be one day at least, before said court.

Witness, Charles J. McIntire, Esq., First Judge of said Court, this fifteenth day of August, in the year one thousand, nine hundred.

W. E. ROGERS, Asst. Register.

WANTED

WANTED—An energetic man to manage an office in Lowell. Salary $125 per month and extra profits. Must come well recommended and have $50 cash. Address Manager P. O. Box 1151, Philadelphia, Pa.

WANTED—Energetic man to manage branch; salary $125 month; extra commissions. Old established house. Must be well recommended and furnish $500 cash. Manager, Drawer 25, New Haven, Conn.

WANTED—Washing and scrubbing by a good, capable woman with a family to support. Address E. L., Sun Office.

WANTED—Agent to sell the distillery bottling of Belle of Nelson to the local trade in Lowell. Address with reference The Turner-Looker Co., Cincinnati.

WANTED—Two girls to attend tables in a coffee house. Address 172 Market street, Olympia Coffee House.

WANTED—Young man for outside position. Apply room 31, Hildreth building.

WANTED—Good worsted spinners on cap frames. Apply to Clinton Worsted Co., Clinton, Mass.

WANTED—Girl for general house work. Inquire 24 Burnside street, near L. and S. power house.

WANTED—A woman wants work. Would go out by day or hour. 115 Charles street.

WANTED—Lady would like to get lace curtains and family washing to do. Inquire 31 Concord street.

WANTED—Man to work at vegetable farming. H. W. Porter, Andover street.

SITUATION wanted in a meat and provision market or grocery, wholesale or retail. Six years' experience. Call or address D, 25 Kirk street.

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Three chair barber shop. Stand established 15 years. Apply to 591 Gorham street.

FOR SALE—Variety store with tenement attached in good locality. Well established trade but small stock. Apply Sun office.

FOR SALE—A second-hand piano, suitable for a club room or hall; a big bargain for some one. Inquire at Harmony Grove, J. A. Mercier.

FOR SALE—Oak roll top desk, nearly new. Address Desk, Sun Office.

FOR SALE—Cartwright estate, 19 Beech street. Apply at house or W. Cartwright, 21 Forrest street, Lawrence, Mass. Mortgage optional.

FOR SALE—A boarding house corner of George and Emery streets. Inquire of Joseph Ashley, 24 Boott Corp.

FOR SALE—One horse, a cow, one Jersey heifer, 60 hens, and farm of 30 acres with house, barn, hen house, sheds, etc., situated next to Whittier Bros.' farm in Dracut, half way between Lowell and Lawrence. Will sell the live stock separately or together with farm. Easy terms. Bargain for somebody. Apply to Robert Galbraith on the premises or by mail. Address Lowell Creamery, care of Whittier Bros.

FOR SALE CHEAP—A five-horse power motor. As good as new. John P. Quinn, Dix street, wood and coal dealer.

FOR SALE—Cigar store and pool room for sale. 149 Middlesex street.

FOR SALE—Restaurant, thriving business, well equipped, up-to-date, most popular in the city, owner retiring, $2000 cash; only cash customers need apply at 15 Monroe street, room 26, Lynn, Mass.

FOR SALE—A National cash register, 30 keys in perfect order, also a small soda fountain at 212 Central street.

FOR SALE—Ten R. I. P. A. N. S. for five cents at druggists. One gives relief.

FOR SALE—At a great sacrifice, a new two-story house for two families; seven rooms each with bath, hot and cold water, gas, hard wood floors, a good lot of land and barn, near 13th street. Inquire at 42 13th street.

FOR SALE—1-2 mile from Chelmsford Centre, six-room house, barn and shed, one acre of land, can be bought on easy terms. Price only $1100. G. L. Hubbard, 121 Central street.

FOR SALE—On Chapel Hill, two-tenement house and store all in first-class repair, large lot of land. This place can be bought low and on easy terms. G. L. Hubbard, 121 Central.

FOR SALE—On Lawrence street, four-tenement block, pays 12 per cent. Price $1100. G. L. Hubbard, 121 Central street.

FOR SALE—On Tyler street, good boarding house with lots of boarders. Price $500. G. L. Hubbard, 121 Central street.

FOR SALE—In North Chelmsford, two-tenement house, large lot of land. Price $2500. G. L. Hubbard, 121 Central street.

FOR SALE—Six miles from Lowell, good farm of 85 acres, good set of buildings, lots of fruit, keeps 15 head of stock. Price of farm, $2100. With the stock of 8 cows, 1 head of young cattle, pigs, hens, two horses, wagons, harnesses, farming tools and milk route, price $3100. G. L. Hubbard, 121 Central street.

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TO LET

TO LET—Furnished front room, with or without board; in private family, 416 Walker street.

TO LET—11 room house, steam heat, modern conveniences, 25 Anne street. Inquire Gordon Tweed, 63 Market street.

TO LET—Some first class tenements in all parts of the city. Apply to A. G. Beharrell, Room 8, Bon Marche block.

TO LET—A nicely furnished house on Centralville hill; only one minute's walk from car line. Will rent to a desirable couple for owner's board. For particulars, Address D. W., Sun Office.

TO LET—One four room tenement. Inquire at 33 Chestnut square.

LOST AND FOUND

FOUND—A black horse. E. L. Bragdon, Lawrence road.

MISCELLANEOUS

LYNN BEACH—A few summer boarders can be accommodated at 16 Sachem avenue, off Tudor street, Lynn, two minutes' walk from the beach. Terms reasonable.

COTTON WEAVERS UNION—All members that have not been called upon by the collector within the past two weeks are requested to call at Loomfixers' hall and leave their addresses with the financial secretary. From 1 till 4 every Saturday afternoon until further notice.
MISS ANNIE McMULLEN, Fin. Secy.

LADIES will find select line of help at Choice Employment Bureau, 50 Appleton street, Mrs. Sanborn.

DONT DELAY—A bargain, two-story, 8-room house, with pantry, bath, wash room, steam heat two water closets, hot and cold water, gas. Connected with sewer. Only 12 minutes' walk to the mills. Good location. Inquire 88 Mt. Hope street Pawtucketville.

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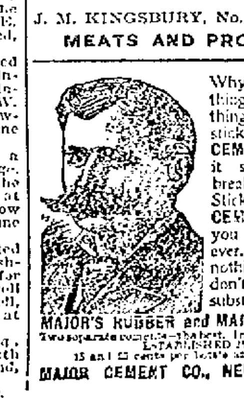
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Southern Div.

To Boston. Lve	Arr.	From Boston. Lve.	Arr.
6 43	6 50	6 00	7 07
6 22	7 41	6 23	7 45
§6 39	7 32	6 41	7 55
6 42	7 52	8 40	8 57
§7 01	8 02	*8 30	9 06
*§7 27	8 10	*9 00	9 58
*§7 31	8 01	*9 30	10 07
7 45	8 35	*10 00	10 37
§7 50	8 55	10 17	11 01
8 50	9 40	10 45	11 55
9 15	10 25	*11 30	12 07
9 40	10 41	12 00	12 57
11 00	12 03	*1 00	1 55
*§11 42	12 25	*1 15	1 52
§12 16	1 05	2 00	3 01
1 40	2 51	*3 00	3 38
*§1 57	2 50	3 47	5 00
3 00	4 20	4 15	5 20
*§3 47	4 30	4 17	5 57
§4 02	4 45	*5 00	5 33
4 25	6 21	5 34	6 56
*5 22	6 15	6 17	6 54
5 41	7 10	6 11	7 27
*§6 22	7 05	*7 30	8 05
*§7 19	8 00	*8 45	9 22
§5 42	9 37	10 15	11 12
		11 20	12 22

Sunday Trains

To Boston. Lve	Arr.	From Boston. Lve.	Arr.
§8 39	7 30	8 15	8 08
*§7 27	8 10	9 00	10 07
8 45	9 49	1 00	1 57
§9 17	10 09	5 00	5 50
§1 25	6 35	*7 30	8 06
§5 55	7 00	*8 45	9 22
		9 10	10 02

Western Div.

To Boston. Lve.	Arr.	From Boston. Lve.	Arr.
6 50	8 00	7 30	8 34
8 00	8 51	9 25	10 22
9 25	10 22	10 25	11 41
10 50	12 05	11 50	1 08
12 05	1 32	2 15	3 10
12 45	4 57	3 50	4 25
2 25	3 14	4 25	5 15
3 10	4 10	6 14	6 50
3 55	5 01	6 04	7 05
5 13	6 42	6 55	7 48
6 15	7 15	9 35	10 40
7 00	8 06	B 11 15	12 15
9 25	10 30		

Sunday Trains

To Boston. Lve.	Arr.	From Boston. Lve.	Arr.
5 15	9 27	8 00	9 17
12 05	1 26	12 00	1 02
4 05	5 18	5 00	6 2[illegible]
6 30	6 55	8 40	9 10
8 45	9 12		

Trains by western division leave Lowell from Middlesex Street station.

*Express

§From Middlesex Street Station only.

—B Runs to Lowell Wednesdays and Saturdays only.

THE WEATHER

By Associated Press to The Sun.

BOSTON, Aug. 18—Local forecast for Boston and vicinity: Fair weather tonight and Sunday; variable winds.

SPECIAL NOTICES

A BIG PRESENT.

A gray enamelled preserving kettle with a pound of tea and coffee. You should secure one of these. Dickson Bros., The Big Tea Dealers, 68 Merrimack street.

THE SUN ON SALE IN BOSTON.

The five o'clock edition of The Sun is on sale at the news stand in the Union Station, Boston.

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Sold on the Cunard, Dominion, White Star, American, Anchor, Allan and Leyland lines, to and from Boston, New York, Queenstown, Liverpool and all parts of Europe. Drafts issued for £1 and upward on all parts of Great Britain and Ireland. English sovereigns and Canada bills bought at Murphy's, 18 Appleton street.

LOCAL NEWS

Try Horne's Coal.

Have you had Pelham's Cigars?

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Elegant rubber-tired hacks at O'Donnell's stable. Telephone 459-4.

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SERMON SUBJECTS

ADVENT.

First, Rev. C. R. Crossett, elder, "The outward and the inward man—or two men in one and their relation to each other."

BAPTIST.

Fifth Street, Rev. H. W. O. Millington, Rev. Bowley Green of Portland, Me., will preach morning and evening.

Wigginville chapel, at 6 30.—Rev. Chas. R. McNally of the Worthen Street church will preach.

FREE BAPTIST.

Middlesex, Rev. Lewis Dexter, "Living in the spirit;" evening, "Lifting Christ before men."

Chelmsford Street, Rev. A. E. Kenyon, Rev. E. R. Coswell, formerly of the Middlesex street church, "Three-fold deliverance."

Paige Street, Rev. A. E. Wilson, "Our example," evening, "Certainty."

CONGREGATIONAL.

Eliot, Rev. J. M. Greene, Prof. Hicks of Andover will preach in the morning.

First Trinitarian, Rev. George F. Kengott, Rev. F. J. Kelley of the Dracut Centre church. "The wayside ministry of Jesus;" evening, "A Divine Injunction."

Highland, Rev. C. L. Merriam, "Christ's message to manhood—to the individual;" evening, "Drifting."

Hillside, Dracut, Rev. J. P. Richardson, preaching by Miss Elizabeth S. Tobey of Boston; evening, C. E. meeting led by Royal P. Richardson.

Kirk Street, Rev. W. A. Bartlett, Rev. R. A. Beard, D. D., of Cambridge will preach morning and evening.

EPISCOPAL.

All Saints, Rev. Wilson Waters. No morning service; special musical service in the evening.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL.

Highland, Rev. G. M. Smiley, "The supreme motive in character."

St. Paul's, Rev. L. W. Staples, Rev. C. L. Fillebrown of Ayer will preach; evening, prayer meeting led by Dr. C. H. Stowell.

Worthen Street, Rev. J. F. Allen, the pastor, will preach at the union services at the Worthen Street Baptist church, evening, Rev. N. W. Devaneau will preach.

PRESBYTERIAN.

First, Rev. J. M. Craig, "Godliness is profitable;" evening, "The miracles of Christ."

Westminster, Rev. D. A. MacPhie, Rev. L. Norman Leith will preach in the morning; no evening service.

PRIMITIVE METHODIST.

First, Rev. N. W. Matthews, "The personal element;" evening, "Martha and Mary."

MISCELLANEOUS.

Christadelphian Ecclesia, Engineers hall, Wyman's Exchange, "The nature of a man from a scriptural standpoint."

First Spiritualist Society, Earnscliffe Grove, Chelmsford street at 2.30 p. m., C. Fannie Allyn of Stoneham will occupy the platform.

HOSPITAL CASES

DOCTORS HAD A BUSY DAY WITH ACCIDENTS.

John Gallagher, 21, residing at 10 West Third street, was treated for a lacerated right leg below the knee yesterday at the Lowell hospital. Patrick Derrick, 27, of 120 Merrimack street, was taken to the Lowell hospital suffering from burns on the right hand caused by boiling water. Apostolis Vathopulos, a Greek, employed in the Merrimack, caught his right hand in machinery yesterday and lacerated one of his fingers. He was taken to the Lowell hospital. Robert Stringer, a diphtheria patient, was discharged yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gregoire with four of their trimmers, Mrs. Cushing, Misses Higgins, Curran and Lemerise, have just returned from New York, where they have been the past week attending the importers' openings.

Dyspepsia

Unless your liver acts well and your bowels move regularly each day, you cannot be cured of your dyspepsia. But an active liver and regular movement of the bowels will cure your indigestion. There's nothing in the world that does this so quickly and so nicely as Ayer's Pills.

WOMAN ARRESTED

One of Two Who Abandoned Child

GAVE NAME AND RESIDENCE OF MOTHER

Inspectors Will Go to Nashua for Her

Inspectors Laflamme and Allen arrested May I. Warren early last night at her residence in Hurd street, on the charge of abandoning the infant girl now being cared for at the city farm. She made a confession which implicated a sister residing in Nashua, N. H., as the mother of the child, and further assisted the inspector by disclosing the address of her sister. As a result it is probable that the Nashua woman will come into compulsory possession of her offspring and the authorities of the city farm will bid good-bye to "Polly Stack."

The inspectors were able to bring their work to a successful issue by the detailed and accurate descriptions given by Supt. Purder of the city farm, upon whom the women called at a late hour Wednesday night and who refused to entertain the idea of receiving the child without a permit. The superintendent sized up his callers very carefully, so that when a couple of hours later he was informed of the discovery of the infant on the door steps of a neighbor he was able to give the Lowell police perfect descriptions of the women. The woman now under arrest is the one who held the infant and did all the talking with the superintendent. As he afterwards stated, she is not the mother of the child. If her statement is to be believed her sister is the mother of the infant.

When the inspectors called at a certain boarding house in Hurd street last night and asked for Miss Warren, the latter did not appear surprised, although she was somewhat agitated. After a few minutes' conversation she admitted everything, but said that no harm was intended to the little one. Upon being asked as to the mother of the child she hesitated a moment, and then replied that the mother lived in Nashua. Later she gave the address of her sister.

At the police station she gave the name as above stated, she said she was 21 years old and was a housekeeper by occupation. She is a rather striking woman in appearance. She has blue eyes and regular features and her complexion is light. An effort is being made to locate her sister and it is more than probable that it will be successful, although if she wishes she can cause considerable trouble to those who would arrest her by insisting on extradition papers.

The woman now at the police station was brought before Judge Hadley in the police court this morning. The infant that has caused the source of all the trouble is at the city farm receiving the best of care. She is such a healthy, fine looking baby that even though separated permanently from her mother she would not want for a good home as there would be numerous applicants for her adoption.

RETURNED FROM EUROPE

BENJAMIN HOLGATE VISITED FOREIGN TEXTILE SCHOOLS.

Benjamin Holgate, clerk at the Lowell Textile school, has returned from an extended visit to England where he visited many of the textile schools and incidentally took note of the systems there. Among those visited was the large school in Manchester, the greatest textile school in the world. The buildings are devoted entirely to textile work and each room occupies an entire edifice. But they are imitating their cousins on this side of the globe by utilizing every inch of space, and many machines are placed into nooks and corners that were formerly vacant.

Mr. Holgate thinks as a textile school our own will compare favorably with any of those abroad but as technical schools they outclass us by a large margin. He found his visit prolific of much good in the many interesting things observed in the well equipped schools of the mother country.

AZALEA CLUB OUTING.

At Belle Grove, last evening, the popular Azalea club of Lowell held its second outing which proved a very enjoyable event. Shortly after 8 o'clock, with Atwood's orchestra in attendance, dancing was begun and about 100 couples joined in the opening waltz. The party came to an end at midnight when a special car took the merry dancers home.

The officers of the affair were: General manager, John Quinn; assistant, Joseph Mongrain; floor director, Stanley O'Brien; assistant, Philip McNeeley; chief aid, Patrick Tarpy; aids, John J. Hahn, Joseph J. O'Brien, Daniel P. Donohoe, Charles Larkin, Daniel Clark, Connie McCarthy, Oscar Perault.

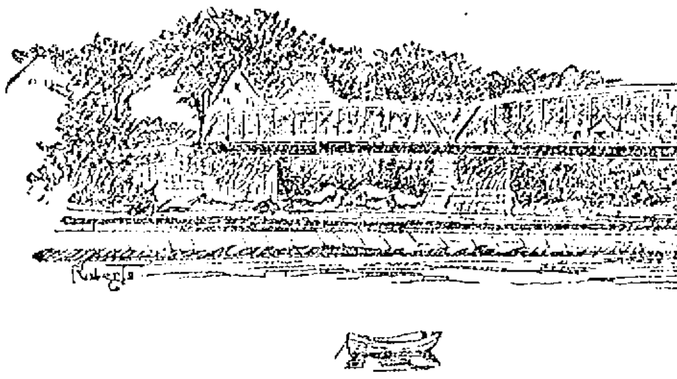
NARROW ESCAPE

UNKNOWN MAN RUN OVER BY A HEAVY WAGON.

While passing through Prescott street last evening, an unknown man had a narrow escape from being killed. When in front of Shattuck's bicycle store the man, who was intoxicated, started to cross the road to the opposite side of the street. A tandem was passing at the time and the man, in trying to get out of its way, ran into a heavy furniture wagon. The horses knocked the man down and the wheels of the wagon passed over his legs.

He picked himself up and crawled to the curbing, where he sat for a while, after which he limped away. The people who saw the accident thought the man was killed, until they saw him crawl.

Miss Lilian Roy of Cedar street has returned home after having visited many points of interest along the New England coast.



THE PAWTUCKET BRIDGE.
Condemned as Unsafe for Heavy Traffic by Engineer Bowers.

PAWTUCKET BRIDGE

Is Falling Down Says Engineer Bowers

And Street Committee Votes to Investigate Into the Cost of a New Bridge to Replace it—County, Locks & Canals and Street Railroad Should Share the Cost—An Echo From the Smooth Paving Post—Why Does Cheney Work His Men Half Time?

The unsafe condition of the Pawtucket bridge was formally brought to the attention of the street committee last evening and after a discussion on the method of improving the conditions at the bridge, voted to prepare plans for a new structure.

There were present at the meeting Alderman Beaulieu, who presided, Alderman Carmichael and Councilmen Casey, Lebrun, Hatch and Burns, of the committee, and Alderman Taylor and several members of the council not of the committee.

The Pawtucket bridge matter was the first considered. Engineer Bowers declared it to be in an unsafe condition and it was voted the sense of the committee that a new bridge is needed, and then the probable cost was considered. Mr. Bowers stated that a new bridge, with plank flooring, would cost about $32,000, and with permanent flooring, $50,000. This would mean using the present foundation piers and abutments.

On motion of Alderman Carmichael the city engineer and city solicitor were instructed to take measures to learn what the Locks & Canals, the street railway company and the county commissioner will do toward bearing the expense for a new bridge. The road is a county road and the bridge accommodates North Chelmsford, Tyngsboro, Dracut and the other towns as well as Lowell, so that the county as well as the city is accommodated. The street railway company has agreed according to a statement made in the meeting, to pay part of the expense of retaining the bridge, so the offer was believed to hold good if it was decided to put up a new bridge.

Mr. Bowers stated that there was an actual danger if heavy teams or cars passed over the bridge faster than a walk, and if more than one heavy team went across at the same time. Unless the warning signs were heeded it would be necessary to shut up the bridge entirely. Mr. Carmichael made another motion that four signs be prepared with proper reading matter to warn and inform the public of the condition of the bridge and what precautions must be exercised to avoid unnecessary danger.

It was voted later in the meeting to have a new and public hearing on Thursday, Sept. 6. At that meeting, also, these matters will be considered: Regarding a change of the name Davenport street, east, to Davenport Terrace, [illegible] for a bicycle path on both sides of Appleton and Chelmsford streets to Westford street; that Charles avenue and Sarah avenue be accepted; that a part of Mammoth road to Stanley street be [illegible].

Batchelder's place was represented in very bad condition and it was voted to call the attention of the superintendent of streets to the place and recommend that it be put in proper condition.

Mr. E. T. McEvoy was given leave to withdraw his petition for a sidewalk in front of his [illegible] Aiken street. The sidewalk has been built since the presentation of the petition.

The Pawtucket Sch[illegible] established to the Moody street [illegible] Pawtucket Fifth avenue be [illegible] and that Fifth avenue [illegible] It was recommended that the petitioner be [illegible] and a hearing was granted on the sidewalk petition.

SMOOTH PAVING AGAIN.

Alderman Carmichael then gave the committee some valuable information regarding smooth paving in the following letters from Albany and Syracuse, N. Y.:

Syracuse, N. Y., Aug. 9, 1900.

Mr. James Carmichael, Central Block, Lowell, Mass.

My Dear Sir: In answer to your esteemed favor of the 5th inst. and I beg to inform you that Syracuse now has about 60 miles of asphalt paved streets. They are paved with Trinidad asphalt, some Bermudez asphalt, some Bermuda and some California.

It is safe to say that five-sixths of the asphalt streets are paved with Trinidad lake asphalt. On the whole, asphalt wears well in Syracuse, although the laying [illegible] streets has not proved quite satisfactory.

Asphalt pavement is the most desirable pavement in Syracuse. Our streets are cleaned by the hand-cleaning system, which, of course, makes a fine-looking pavement. It is certainly the most popular pavement here. My individual preference is for the large Hallwood block, such as laid in Cortlandt avenue in our city, although I am frank to admit that my townsmen do not agree with me in this respect.

The streets of our city are sprinkled by contract and the same is charged up to the property owners through local assessment. We had the street car sprinkler in our city, but I consider it a nuisance, as it wet the streets too much and frightened the horses.

Very truly,
JAMES K. McGUIRE, Mayor.

Syracuse, N. Y., Aug. 13th, 1900.

James H. Carmichael, Esq., Central Block, Lowell, Mass.

Dear Sir—I am in receipt of your esteemed favor of the 10th inst., and would say that, as I understand it, there are two kinds of Trinidad Lake asphalt. One is the pure lake, often taken from the lake deposits, and the other is pitch taken from land near the lake. I should think that the general term "Trinidad Lake Asphalt" would cover both. There is much deception in the word, and it is quite impossible for the ordinary expert to be able to detect the difference. My opinion is, that you must rely upon your guarantee and make the specifications as broad and open as possible in order to restrict the monopoly. As I understand it, all Trinidad sheet asphalt is controlled by the asphalt trust, and there is actually no competition in that product.

It is five or six years since we laid the Hallwood pavement in Cortlandt avenue, and you will have to write to Ohio for prices.

The street car sprinkler was used in the street sprinkling contracts, and I think the price was about 1 1-2 cents per square yard per diem. The abutting property owners paid the cost along the streets. Yours very truly,

JAMES K. McGUIRE.

Albany, N. Y., Aug. 16, 1900.

James H. Carmichael, Esq., Lowell, Mass.

Dear Sir—Your letter of the 8th inst., addressed to the mayor of this city, inquiring in regard to traction road sprinkling and street pavements has been referred for reply to this department.

The United Traction company of this city does not sprinkle its tracks, with the exception of one level stretch about a mile long in the suburban district, which they sprinkle free of cost to the city.

Asphalt pavement to the extent of 231,672 square yards, was laid here between the years 1889 and 189[illegible], inclusive. The principal defect with the pavement has been the disintegration of the wearing surface, causing large ruts and hollows in the surface of the pavement.

In the last seven years the city has paved only with dimension granite blocks and vitrified bricks laid on six inches of concrete, the [illegible] prices for which were $2.70 and $1.78 per square yard respectively.

Most of the work is assessed on abutting owners, expense of street intersections is prorated on street improvement, also on lateral streets to midway of the block. Very truly yours,

WALTER MELIUS,
City Engineer.

Mr. Barry called attention to the fact, or he understood it to be a fact, that the superintendent of streets was employing his teams only half the week and laying off the men and keeping the horses idle the other half.

The chairman was instructed to learn if the superintendent of streets is hiring teams from outside parties and not using department teams, and keeping his own teams and men idle.

The question of macadamizing Agawam street was laid on the table. The superintendent of streets was instructed to have the street sweeper used Saturday nights in order that the streets may be clean on Sunday. His attention was also called to the dangerous condition of the Lawrence street bridge and he was requested to give an estimate as to the cost of repairing the bridge.

The chairman called attention to the condition of Aiken street and stated that paving or macadamizing was necessary. It was decided to view the street Sept. 6.

SHOULDER DISLOCATED.

Mr. Mark A. Avery of Leroy street is nursing a dislocated shoulder, the result of an accident on a lighthouse off Long Island, Maine. Mr. Avery fell while descending from the lighthouse to a boat and was rowed a distance of seven miles before he had medical attendance.

A PUNGENT FOOD DRINK

With the Taste of Coffee.

"Perhaps no one has suffered more from the use of coffee or failed oftener in the attempt to leave it off, than I have. Although I never drank more than half a cup at a time, it even then gave me sour stomach and a whole catalogue of misery. This kept up for a long period and time and again I resolved that I positively would drink no more coffee, but alas, the rest of the family used it, and, like the reformed drunkard who smells whiskey and falls again, when I smelled coffee, I could not resist it.

"Finally we came to try Postum Food Coffee and my trouble was over at once. There I had my favorite beverage,—a crisp, dark brown, rich coffee, with a fine pungent coffee taste, and yet with no sour stomach or nervous troubles after it. On the contrary I have gained gradually in strength and sturdy health. All who have spoken to me about Postum agree, and we have found it so, that the directions for making must be followed, and it must be boiled at least fifteen minutes, or more, and it also requires the addition of good cream. We have tried boiling it a few minutes when in a special hurry, but found it insipid and unsatisfactory; whereas by proper boiling, it is dark and rich, with a delightful flavor.

"Dr. McMillan of Sunbeam, Ill., said he had used Postum and found it to be just as good as coffee, and more healthful. He is an M.D. of fine standing. Mr. David Strong and sister have left off coffee and are using Postum. They find it much more healthful. Rev. W. T. Campbell, pastor of the Second United Presbyterian Church of this city, says: 'You may say anything good that you wish about Postum Food Coffee and I will substantiate it.' He was a great lover of coffee and yet found it very injurious to his health. He now drinks Postum three times a day and the old troubles have disappeared.

"I shrink from having my name appear in public. The statement I have given you is truthful, and I hope will aid some people to discover that coffee is the cause of their aches and ails, and they are in a way to get rid of their troubles by leaving off coffee and taking Postum Food Coffee."

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